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New policies prevent weapons from entering party

BY KEVIN P. HANCOCK
NEWS EDITOR

Measures enacted by a new MSU campus party policy, including the use of metal detectors, prevented several weapons from entering a Student Center ballroom party last Saturday, and helped ensure the safety of 500 partygoers, Campus Police said.

Weapons including razor box-cutters, and knives were found on the floor of the Student Center, just outside the entrance to the ballrooms where walk-through metal detectors were set up and manned by Campus Police, said Lieutenant Paul Cell. The weapons were apparently left behind when partygoers realized that they would have to go through the metal detectors, said Lt. Cell. No arrests were made.

The party, which was co-sponsored by Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc., and Phi Beta

Sigma Fraternity Inc., experienced no major incidents the rest of the night.

"Two people were treated for intoxication, one needing ambulatory care," said Lt. Cell. "Also the main door to the Student Center Annex was smashed by a beer bottle."

The new MSU party policies have enacted a number of changes in the way ballroom parties are run, and have helped cut down on the number of violent incidents at them, said Lt. Cell. The new policies were put into place after a stabbing incident last semester at a similar party.

"The new policy was designed by students, staff, administration, and Campus Police after numerous meetings, to ensure the safety of the parties," stated Lt. Cell.

The new party policy that has been put into effect for all Student Center ballroom parties, held by all organizations,



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Knives and weapons found abandoned outside the Student Center Saturday night.

consist of several new security measures.

Now, only MSU students and their guests are allowed to enter the party. "The old policy allowed anyone from any col-

lege into the party unescorted," said Lt. Cell. Each MSU student is allowed three guests that have to sign in prior to entering.

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S.I.L.C.'s budget frozen by SGA because of violations

BY TIMOTHY M. CASEY
PHOTOGRAPHY EDITOR

Student Government Association Treasurer John Cvelic temporarily froze the budget of the Student Intramural Leisure Council on Thursday, February 20, because S.I.L.C. did not hold elections for their executive board, as specified in the SGA Constitution, according to SGA President Amy Fisher.

S.I.L.C. was confronted by the SGA and their budget was frozen as a precautionary measure. "We wanted to prevent any problems that might have arisen," said Fisher. "We noticed a lot of inconsistencies, they (S.I.L.C.) lost the system of checks and balances that the organization needs."

S.I.L.C. will be holding executive board elections on Monday, March 3, where SGA Attorney General Greg MacSweeney will be present to

supervise, as required in the SGA constitution.

A memo to S.I.L.C. informing them that their budget was frozen because of "a lack of who was being held accountable for all finances," said Cvelic. "Their system was changing week to week. This especially applies to S.I.L.C. because they pay their members. There was always different signatures on their purchase requests."

Because of their lack of an organized executive board, there was some confusion about who signs their purchase requests. S.I.L.C. Treasurer Kevin McCleave, was signing in place of S.I.L.C. President Andre Fryson, while S.I.L.C. Secretary Marty Cross was signing in place of McCleave as Treasurer for the entire spring semester, McCleave said.

Cvelic said the freeze on

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Loaded handgun seized in Blanton Hall

BY KEVIN P. HANCOCK
NEWS EDITOR

An MSU student was arrested in connection with the discovery of a fully-loaded, semi-automatic handgun hidden in a third floor dorm room of Blanton Hall by Campus Police on Monday, February 17.

Campus Police received a tip from an anonymous caller at 2:44 p.m. on Monday, that a man who was a guest of a resident of Blanton Hall, had brought a weapon into the building. Further investigation of the situation led police to third floor dormitory in the residence hall.

Sergeant McKenzie, and Lieutenant Cell of Campus Police, arrived at the dorm room and conducted a search of three males that were inside. Nothing was found in the males' possession, however, a further search revealed the weapon.

"We conducted a subsequent search of the room that led us to find a .380 caliber, semi-automatic handgun with a fully-loaded clip, hidden on top of the bathroom ceiling tile," said Lt. Cell.

The weapon was confiscated and charges were pressed against one of the males in the room.

"The one student was brought to Campus Police, and was then brought to Passaic County Jail where he was committed that night and bail was set," said Lt. Cell.

The student arrested, David Southwick, 21, of Milltown, was held overnight and released on bail the following day, according to Passaic County Jail.

Southwick was a guest of a male resident of the room. Charges were not pressed against the other two males

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News from the outside world

The week in review

(compiled from CNN.COM by Kevin P. Hancock.)

International

French bill aims to stop illegal immigration

France's lower legislative body is to take up a bill on Tuesday, that aims to curb illegal immigration and employment. A great debate has been started by the bill.

Opponents of the legislation have filled the streets of Paris to protest in recent days, including tens of thousands of protesters on Saturday.

In the face of this opposition, which has included calls for civil disobedience among protesters, the government has compromised on the bill's most controversial measure.

The bill had stated that French citizens hosting visitors would have to report their guests' movements to police. Now it has been proposed that it be up to the visitors themselves to check in when they change their residence.

Opponents claim that immigrants should not be "presumed guilty".

Funeral held for Chinese leader

Chinese leader, Deng Xiaoping, who died last week at 92, was delivered to Babaoshan cemetery by motorcade past thousands of mourners on Monday, reported the official Xinhua News Agency.

The motorcade brought the leader down Beijing's Avenue of Eternal Peace for the last time as his body was delivered to be cremated at the cemetery where many of China's revolutionary heroes are buried.

Deng's chosen successor, Jiang Zemin, and other Chinese dignitaries bowed three times before Deng's body in a traditional show of respect as it lay surrounded by flowers in the General Hospital of the People's Liberation Army, before being moved to the cemetery.

Peru willing to make concession to rebels

Peru's president, Alberto Fujimori, is reportedly willing to make a major concession for the release of more hostages being held by Marxist rebels in Lima.

Negotiators held a fourth round of talks on Monday, aimed at finding a peaceful resolution to the conflict.

The Marxist rebels are currently holding 72 VIP's hostage at the Japanese ambassador's compound, in Lima.

However, Fujimori has been resolute in his refusal to consider releasing the rebels' jailed comrades, which has been their main demand, according to a Japanese newspaper.

The hostages have now been held at the compound for over two months.

National

One dead, six wounded in Empire State Building Shooting

A man opened fire on the observation deck of the Empire State Building Sunday, killing one, and wounding 6 before taking his own life, authorities said.

The gunman, a 69 year-old Palestinian, was taken to a hospital where he died more than 5 hours later.

Ali Abu Kamal, muttered something about Egypt seconds before he opened fire with a .380-caliber Beretta handgun, around 5 p.m., on the 86th floor observation deck.

Several others, including young children were injured in a stampede of people that followed the shooting trying to flee the scene.

Most of the injured were foreign tourists, visiting the famous tourist attraction.

"I've never seen so much blood in my life," said Belgian businessman Stef Nys, 36, who witnessed the incident, but was spared of personal injury.

Memorial for Cuban shoot-down victims to be held

Friends and relatives of four men that were killed, when planes of their Cuban exile group Brothers to the Rescue were shot down by Cuban fighters, plan to hold a memorial for their slain loved ones.

Havana claimed that the planes were in its territory, but the United States and an international aviation organization have ruled that the planes were in international airspace.

Relatives and members of the exile group plan to gather Monday in Miami, to remember those killed, in a memorial that will include aircraft identical to the ones that were shot down flying in formation, and dropping flowers at the site of the downing.

The incident sand U.S.-Cuban relations into a deeper freeze, prompting Congress to pass tougher anti-Cuban legislation.

Bomb found at Florida synagogue

Two children were found playing with a pipe-bomb they had discovered at their local synagogue last Saturday.

The device was taken outside the Jacksonville Jewish Center, by two adults, who found the children, where police came and disarmed the bomb.

The pipe-bomb was found by the two children during a post-Sabbath luncheon on Saturday, at the center.

The center was a target of a bomb threat on February 13, shortly before a speech by former Israeli Prime Minister Shimon Peres was to be given there.

No evidence has been found yet to link the two events. Police state that they are still uncertain who is responsible for planting the device.

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SGA News & Notes

by John Brost



The latest meeting of the Student Government Association was marked by the passage of a discussion of a student protest on April 15 to respond to the state budget proposed by governor Christie Whitman. In addition, a Class One charter was granted and two Judicial Branch Justices, a Cabinet member, and two legislators were appointed by President Amy Fisher.

After a closed session was called, discussion was held regarding a proposed student strike for April 15, in protest of the Whitman's state budget. The plans for a student strike began at Ramapo College, and it has branched out to other public colleges and universities in the state, in an attempt to make April 15 a "statewide day of protest." Further plans at other schools include a possible march to Trenton on April 24.

No definite plan of action has been set yet for MSU, but the SGA will be working on one in the upcoming weeks.

WMSC had their Class One charter renewed by the legislature. WMSC, the college radio station, is located at 90.3 FM, and features a variety of types of music, according to the organization.

Lauren Shapiro was appointed by Fisher to become the Director of Class II and III Affairs. This cabinet position acts as a liaison between the SGA and the numerous Class II and III organizations. Shapiro will be responsible for informing Class II and III organizations of SGA procedures, and is rewire to keep a programming grid of events sponsored by these organizations.

Matthew Varisco and Amy Saber were also appointed by Fisher to become justices on the Judicial

branch. This branch of the SGA, which had been vacant, oversees the actions taken by the other branches and determines the constitutionality of the bills passed by the legislature.

In addition, George Calle, the former assistant to the president, and Karen Cardell, were appointed to be legislators. This appointment was done in an attempt increase involvement, according to Fisher.

CORRECTIONS

In the February 20, 1997 edition of the *Montclarion*, it was said that the former SGA bookkeeper was fired. The story should have read that the position was eliminated. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Senate committee presents new GER program models

BY KEVIN P. HANCOCK
NEWS EDITOR

The University Senate's General Education Requirement Committee Chairman gave a presentation outlining the committee's five new proposals for the General Education program at yesterday's senate meeting.

Helen Roberts, chairman of the GER Committee, presented the results of the committee's two and a half years of work.

The five GER program models presented included a range of alternative plans, including a plan similar to the one in use now.

All of the models presented require a 58 credit General Education program, the same amount of credits required by the program now in place.

Some changes to the current GER program that were presented include, making the GER program a four year process, by requiring certain classes, certain years, so GER

courses cannot be completed in two years.

It was proposed that Freshman Seminar, and Senior Capstone be required courses for students. Senior Capstone is a one semester interdisciplinary course that would enforce the four year General Education program for seniors.

A comprehensive wellness requirement was proposed to replace the physical education requirement that is currently in place. This would allow the requirement to be fulfilled by courses covering mental health as well as physical.

Other changes including, testing out of foreign language, and computer requirements, and broadening the oral education requirements were proposed.

The final and complete proposal will be distributed to faculty, administrators, and librarians on March 11. The recipients of the proposal will be asked to evaluate the models, give suggestions, and rank

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- Pay \$30.00 deposit.....March 4th - 14th
- Student group application...April 1st by 4 pm
- Assignments posted.....April 7th

RESIDENCE HALLS

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- Apply for Single Room Lottery.....Apr. 7th & 8th (Sign-up in the Office of Residence Life)
- Clear Delinquent Accounts....Apr. 7th - Apr. 15th
- Deadline to Accept a Single.....April 16th
- Room Selection.....April 22nd & April 23rd (Bohn Hall Main lounge - Enter Through I-Card Office)



MSU POLICE REPORT

OBTAINED FROM CAMPUS POLICE COMPILED BY JOHN J. O'SULLIVAN

ALARMS:

2/18 MSU officers and the Montclair FD responded to a report of smoke in Sprague Library. No signs of smoke or fire were discovered. The system was reset.

2/20 MSU officers and the Montclair FD responded to a fire alarm at Freeman Hall. They discovered a lobby malfunctioning smoke detector activated. The smoke detector was repaired.

2/20 MSU officers and the Montclair FD responded to a report of smoke in Sprague Library in the non-print section. There was no source of fire or smoke noted, but they did smell a trace of smoke.

2/21 MSU officer responded to a fire alarm in Bohn Hall. When they arrived, they saw that a 12th floor fire pull station was activated. The Clifton FD responded. There were no signs of fire or smoke.

2/23 Between 2/23 and 2/24, multiple fire alarm signals were received for Stone Hall, due to system malfunction. Little Falls FD responded each time. The system was repaired.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE/THREATS/HARASSMENT:

2/18 Abraham Dickerson of Orange was arrested after he threatened to kill his ex-girlfriend, a resident of Webster Hall. Dickerson was on the dorm's persona non grata list, and was trespassing in the dorm. Dickerson was arrested and arraigned in Little Falls Municipal Court. Bail was set at \$5,000. Dickerson was incarcerated at the Passaic County Jail after failing to post bond. A restraining order was also obtained.

2/19 Officers investigated a report that a male was hanging around the women's locker room of Panzer Gym. When they arrived, no one was present. A towel was, however, found wedged in the door.

2/19 A Blanton Hall resident reported receiving several harassing phone calls.

2/21 A Freeman Hall resident was punched in the face during a party held at the dorm, when she refused to dance with Shannon Duncan, of the Bronx, NY. She signed a criminal complaint of assault against Duncan, and a court date is scheduled for 2/27 in Montclair municipal court.

2/24 A male Clove Road resident reported receiving a threatening phone call. The caller originally asked for his

roommate.

2/24 A male Clove Road resident received two threatening phone calls.

2/24 Three female Blanton Hall residents reported receiving many harassing phone calls.

2/24 A Freeman Hall resident received a threatening phone call from her ex-boyfriend's new girlfriend. Later, an unidentified woman showed up at the front desk, asking her to come and meet her. The resident refused to meet her, and she eventually went away.

2/25 A Bohn Hall resident received a threatening phone call from her ex-boyfriend after arguing earlier.

MEDICAL:

2/19 A Montclair High School student visiting the campus became ill at the bus stop near College Hall. She was transported to the Health Center.

2/20 A resident passed out on the 6th floor of Bohn Hall. He refused medical treatment or transportation.

2/21 A student became ill during class in Dickson Hall. She was transported to the Health Center.

2/24 A resident passed out in Blanton Hall Cafeteria. She was transported to Mountainside Hospital by ambulance.

2/24 A woman passed out in the Financial Aid office at College Hall. She was transported to Mountainside Hospital by ambulance.

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2/25 An student fell and was injured while was walking from College Hall to Dickson Hall. She injured her nose, and was scraped up. She was advised to go to the Health Center.

WEAPONS POSSESSION:

2/21 An officer on patrol saw a group of males in the corner of parking lot 28. A hatchet was on the ground, and was confiscated by the officer. They claimed to be on a fraternity scavenger hunt. They also had three metal signs in their possession. The signs were also confiscated as evidence. Investigation continues.

2/23 An officer found two knives and two razor box openers on the floor

after partygoers entered the Student Center ballroom. Person(s) unknown dropped weapons before passing through a metal detector.

CONTROLLED DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES:

2/21 Officers responded to a theft in Blanton Hall. While interviewing a suspect, two vials of crack cocaine were saw near the suspect. Darryl Armstrong, or East Orange, was later arrested and charged with possession of, with intent to distribute, a CDS. Bail was set \$10,000, which he was unable to post. He was later incarcerated at the Passaic County Jail. The court date is set for 2/25/97 at Little Falls Municipal Court.

2/25 Officers responded to Bohn Hall, due to a complaint of marijuana odor. There was no odor detectable when officers arrived.

THEFT:

2/19 A student reported that his

bookbag was stolen from the locker room of Panzer Gym.

2/22 A 1993 Thunderbird was stolen from Lot 18 from a man, who went to visit a friend in Blanton Hall.

OTHER:

2/20 (DWI) An officer stopped a car, driven by Joseph Pajerowski, for a broken tail light. After observing his drunken behavior, he was arrested for DWI. After running his license through the state computer system, it was found to be suspended. A court date is set for 3/11/97 in Montclair Municipal Court.

2/21 (Property Damage) A Normal Ave. resident complained that his bay window was shattered by a group of men playing lacrosse on Sprague field.

2/21 (Disorderly Conduct) Five males were found lifting and moving a car in Lot 28. The car involved belonged to a friend of the group. The owner responded, and declined to press charges.

S.I.L.C., Cont. from p. 1 will get paid for work already performed, but not until the budget is restored, according to Cvelic. The students are paid under the 1999 tax form.

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According to Cvelic, S.I.L.C. claimed they did not know that the Attorney General had to be present to hold elections. "They were given Class 1 policies, including chartering and financial procedures," said Cvelic. When a budget is frozen, no paperwork is processed and no checks are written, said Cvelic. However, S.I.L.C.'s programming will continue, as they are currently running intramural basketball. The organization needs to have checks issued to pay their referees and scorekeepers, who receive \$8 per game, which typically last less than an hour. The referees and scorekeepers are undergraduate students and members of S.I.L.C.. The students

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S.I.L.C. representative Kevin McCleave feels that the SGA has other motives and wishes to take the intramurals program away from the students. "They're trying to make us look incompetent, so they can give S.I.L.C. to Campus Recreation," said McCleave. "The SGA hasn't seen for themselves what we really do."

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PARTY, Cont. from p. 1

A new walk-in metal detector was purchased, and is stationed outside of the entrance to the ballroom that each person must enter.

At 7 p.m. on the date of a ballroom party, the entrances at Quinn and Clove Roads are closed and manned with police to ensure that everyone entering campus is an MSU student.

Finally, the number of officers present at the party has increased, and there is now a maximum capacity of 500 people for a ballroom party. When that limit is reached all campus gates are shut down, disallowing anyone to enter campus who wishes to attend the

party.

Saturday's party was the third one to have the new security measures in place. Previously, there was only one incident of a weapon being recovered because of the metal detectors, according to Lt. Cell.

"With all the help and cooperation, both on the part of Sigma Gamma Rho, Phi Beta Sigma, and the Campus police staff, the party was a great success," said Andrea Rouse, a representative of Sigma Gamma Rho. Rouse also hopes that in the future having two metal detectors will be possible in order to have long lines move quicker and the party run smoother.

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present in the room, Lt. Cell said.

No narcotics were found at the scene, and an investigation on the case is underway. Campus police declined to comment further until the investigation is complete.

The situation raises serious questions about safety in the residence halls. "It's scary," said Blanton Hall resident Eric Alders. "It's scary to think that someone like that can be allowed into the dorms, and there is no screening method to prevent it. What if a shooting did happen, even if Campus Police were there, they don't even have guns."

Margaree Coleman-Carter, Direc-

tor of Residence Life, commented on the incident, "Well, I'm shocked, and very disappointed that someone would bring something like that into our community. They did not take into account what kind of effect this would have on the residents."

Coleman-Carter also expressed her satisfaction that someone was brave enough to call and report the situation to police. "I would strongly encourage people to continue to report things that are unacceptable (in residence halls). To me, this was just mindless."

This is the first incident of it's kind at MSU in approximately 8 years, according to Coleman-Carter.

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them in order of preference.

The committee expressed it's wish to get feedback from the campus community on the GER proposal, so it can come to a plan that everyone agrees with before it is voted on.

"This is something for the benefit of our students, it has to be something the whole campus buys into," said Roberts.

Questions were raised about whether an attempt will be made to present the proposal to the students. "All our efforts (to present the plan to students) in the past have only netted two or three students," said a University Senate member. The GER committee did state that it has presented the plan to the Student Government Association for their evaluation.

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Campus Life

Thursday, February 27, 1997

Schroeder to highlight Women's History Month

BY SUZANNE FEIGLE
CAMPUS LIFE EDITOR

The Women's Center and the Women's Studies Program have announced events which will highlight Women's History Month. Many influential speakers will be on campus to educate students of the importance of women in the world.

Activities will begin on Monday March 3, when University President Dr. Irvin D. Reid will issue a presidential proclamation at noon in the Student Center Quad. After the flag raising, Career Services will present "The Challenges for Women in Health and Science," from 12:30 to 2p.m. in Student Center Room 411-414.

One of the month's highlights will be the keynote address delivered by former United States Congresswoman Patricia Schroeder. A visiting scholar at Princeton University, Schroeder will speak on "Equity: The Elusive Target," on Thursday, March 6, at 7p.m. in the

Student Center Ballrooms. The event is free and open to all.

Schroeder was first elected to Congress in 1972. She won twelve general elections and retired undefeated earlier this year. The Colorado Democrat held numerous leadership positions, including chair of the Armed Services Subcommittee on Research and Development, chair of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families, and Deputy Whip of the Democratic Caucus.

She sponsored legislation ranging from the Family and Medical Leave Act to the National Child Protection Act, the Child Abuse Ac-

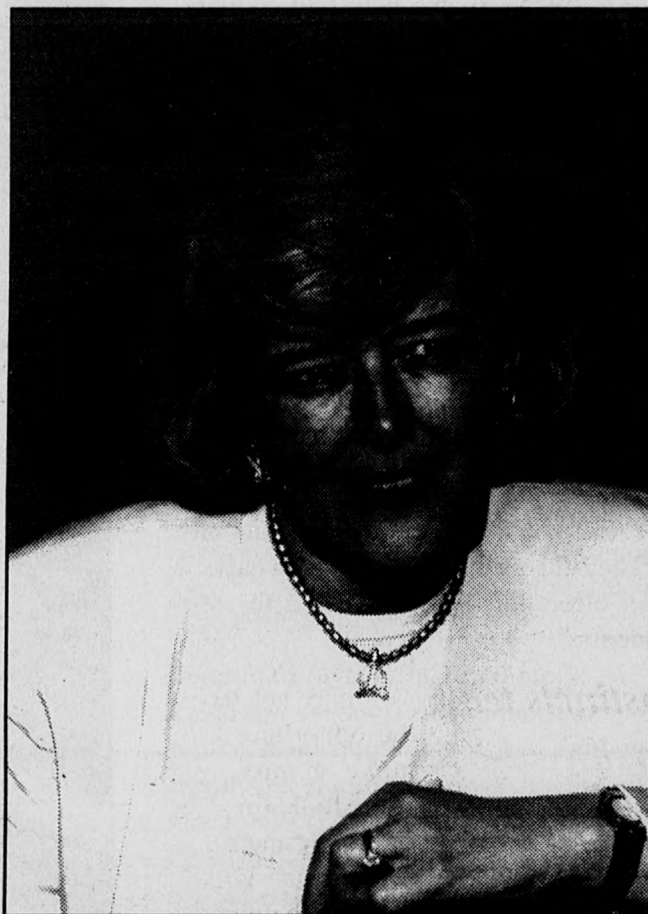


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Patricia Schroeder

countability Act, and the Violence Against Women Act.

Schroeder, who earned her B.A. from the University of Minnesota and her J.D. from Harvard Law School, is the recipient of many awards. Last year alone, she received 17 major accolades including the Harry S. Truman Citizen of the World Award for distinguished public service, the Civil Libertarian for Life Award, the Barry Goldwater Human Rights Award, and the Public Leadership Educational Network Mentor Award. According to a recent profile in *Ms.* magazine, Schroeder "...is a woman warrior who for more than twenty years has fought battles in the most difficult, most male-dominated areas of all - politics, the United States Congress, the House Committee on the Armed Services. And she has done right by us for every one of those years."

For any additional information on the programs planned for Women's History Month, contact the Women's Center at 655-5114.

Alpha Phi Omega contributes to local blood centers

MICHELE ROMAINE
ASSISTANT CAMPUS LIFE EDITOR

Last Thursday, February 20, Alpha Phi Omega sponsored their second blood drive of this semester. The multi-cultural, national service fraternity organized this event with the commitment to helping those in need of blood donor services. Although any amount of donations was considered beneficial, they hoped to do as well as their last drive, which raised over fifty pints of blood. All donations were given to the Blood Center of NJ, in East Orange.

As I watched perspective donors go through the mandatory medical evaluations necessary to be a donor, there were a few who were deferred. Some of the examples were due to students being on anti-biotics and other prescription medications. Since colds are so common throughout our campus, it is no wonder! Registered Nurse Joy White gave me another reason for deferment, and it a dietary problem. "Women especially are at risk of having a low hemoglobin, due to the lack of protein in their diet." As one female student was told that she was not eligible to donate because she was taking

antibiotics, she left the ballroom very disappointed. "It is a great honor to donate blood. It makes me feel that I am doing something of value. I was happy to know that the campus organizations care enough to run these kinds of events. I'll just try again, soon."

Members of Alpha Phi Omega realize how vital it is to contribute to our local blood banks. Tracey Goldsberry reminds us of this by stating, "One pint of blood is enough to save two lives. This drive is an important way for us to give to our community." Another member, Lorri Wilson agrees, "Just think about giving. Donated blood could be responsible in saving your life some day."

All those involved in the event say that holding drives like these here at MSU lead to great personal satisfaction. Successful donors were rewarded with tasty eats afterward, but for an important reason. Donors need to replenish vital nutrients that are lost because of the donation process. Fruit juice is required to raise the blood sugar levels in the body.

Besides this one, Alpha Phi Omega is sponsoring two more blood drives in April. Look out for upcoming details.

HEALTHY LIVING

BY DR. KATHY DUNCAN, MD
MOUNTAINSIDE FAMILY PRACTICE

February is designated "Heart Month" by the American Heart Association and MSU. On February 14th a lot of you gave and received expressions of the heart, but how many of you MSU students really stopped to think about your heart or any other part of your body for that matter?

It's difficult to think seriously about your body when it's working well, but the habits you develop today are going to determine if your body continues to work well 20 years from now down the road. The United States Preventive Services Task Force (USPSTF) put together a list of recommended interventions for young people age 11-24 years old that I would like to share with you.

To begin with, let's look at the leading causes of death for this age group. They are motor vehicle accidents, murder, suicide, cancer and heart disease in that order. Please note that besides rare untreatable cancers, many of these deaths can be prevented by proper intervention. In young healthy people, intervention usually means practicing good habits at this point of time, before adulthood and aging. Let's look at some ways that you can intervene in your own

life and practice good healthy habits. The first part of intervention is screening.

Screening means routine tests that identify problems early. First are height, weight and blood pressure. You can not change your height but you can certainly monitor your weight to stay within limits. Your blood pressure should be checked yearly. A very small percentage of young people do have elevated blood pressure which can cause damage to their heart and kidneys if not controlled.

Next is a list of interventions that simply help with your physical protection. Remember that unintentional injuries are the leading cause of death in your age group. Wear seat belts in the car always. A helmet should always be worn with bicycles, motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles, and roller blades. Be sure the smoke detectors in your house, apartment or residence hall work. Ensure safe storage or removal of firearms from your home.

A big part of healthy intervention is preventing "substance" abuse. These substances include: nicotine, alcohol, and illicit drugs like marijuana, cocaine, heroin and stimulants like LSD. We all know drinking and driving is deadly, but frying your brains on illegal drugs cer-

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MSU Police present "Stay Alert, Stay Alive"

BY VICTORIA TENGELICS
ASSISTANT CAMPUS LIFE EDITOR

Stay alert, stay alive; that should be your main objective when outside of your house. Although you may feel safe on campus; MSU has a higher crime rate than some of the local cities in New Jersey, Lieutenant Paul Cell warned at the self defense lecture sponsored by The Women's Center on February 26. Lt. Cell and Fran Bellapianta provided some very important tips and demonstrated some defense techniques.

Awareness is the most important protection against an attack. First thing to remember is that "you don't want to be clueless," stay alert, walk with your shoulders back and your head up. Be aware of your surroundings, the most common reason an attacker will pick you is if he/she sees you as "easy prey." A common misconception is that you should not make eye contact with someone that scares you, however you should do just that so that the person knows that you are aware of them.

Another tip is "don't look afraid," attackers pick up on that and know you are vulnerable. "If your instincts tell you don't do it, it's important not to do it." Stay away from routines, attackers often watch and know your routes, park in different areas and walk a different way to the campus or wherever you go regularly.

Levelheaded, staying level-headed is a key protection device. If you are being attacked or there is the threat of an attack, remain as calm as possible. Breathing is very important, it keeps your energy and helps you to keep your head. Screaming requires breathing so when you are attacked scream, a lot.

Initiate a defense plan, you do not have to be paranoid, just think about

what you would do if a situation ever occurs that you are in danger. Lieutenant Cell and Ms. Bellapianta demonstrated some useful defense tactics.

If you are attacked and you can not escape, do not struggle too much it wastes energy. Get the attacker close to you so that you can attack his/her face. The eyes are the most sensitive place to attack, there are three pressure points in the eyes. Other pressure points include the throat, under the jaw line and the hollow space behind the ear. The groin area is also a very sensitive area, however this should be secondary, go for the face first.

If one tactic does not work go on to something else. Carrying your key tight between your thumb and your pointer finger ready to unlock the door or use to protect yourself, do not carry

it with your keys between your fist. You may not have the opportunity to make a move at first, look for the right time and act.

Vocal

is the key word, make as much noise as possible. Screaming not only attracts attention and breaks your attacker's concentration. Although for years screaming fire was recommended, this does not work so scream something else such as "Help I'm being attacked."

Escape, at the first opportunity to escape take it. Do not stick around and try to "play rambo," just leave. Lt. Cell advised not to run to your car, go to the closest area where there are people, "the idea is to get away safe."

Lieutenant Cell teaches a free self defense course on Monday nights from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the Student Center room 419, it runs ten to twelve weeks and is recommended for anyone who wants to protect themselves.

Those who attended felt they received some very important information and are considering his classes.

come more comfortable while waiting between classes. In response to the dim lighting of the third floor Student Center lounge, computers suggested lamps on the tables similar to the ones in the library.

Also announced was free pool in the Game Room every Wednesday at noon as well as free music in the Formal Dining Room during lunch.

In response to the success and enthusiasm of the Bagel Breakfast on February 19, another breakfast will be planned and announced at the next Commuter Student meeting scheduled for March 5 at 5p.m. in Student Center, room 416. Come alone or bring a friend if you're interested in expressing concerns or planning upcoming events.

"If your instincts tell you not to, it's important not to do it."

Commuter Student News

BY KARIN MURPHY
STAFF WRITER

Members of the SGA surprised students with their presence at the Commuter Students meeting last Wednesday. Kristy Weaver and Ryan Roer of the SGA attended the meeting and swapped ideas over a pizza which they donated.

Of interest to commuters is that the SGA is currently working on extending library hours, providing a 24 hour computer lab, and a suggestion box.

Other topics brought to the attention of the SGA members included finding space for a designated Commuter Student Room. This would be provided in the hope that commuters would be-

Thurs. 27 February	"Africa and the Diaspora in the 21st Century" 4-6 p.m. Dickson Hall, Brantl Lecture Hall.
Fri. 28 February	Muslim Students' Association, general membership meetings. 3p.m. SC Annex 205.
Sat./Sun. 1/2 March	Sun - Mass. 11am Dickson Hall Faculty Lounge
Mon. 3 March	Flag Raising for Women's Women's History Month. noon. SC flagpole. Women in Science 12:30p.m. SC 411- 414. Psychology Club Career Services Presentation. 8p.m. Dickson Hall, Brantl Lecture room
Tues. 4 March	NJCWW meeting. Cafeteria C. 12 p.m. Women Students' Organization meetings 2p.m. SC 420. Presidential Reception 2p.m. Dickson 178. Bell Hooks Lecture 5:30p.m. SC Ballrooms
Wed. 5 March	Amnesty International Meeting. 11a.m. Student Center rm 408. University Senate. 4 p.m. SC Ballrooms B & C. Salsa Merengue Workshop, 5p.m. SC Annex 100 PRIDE meeting 5:30p.m. SC rm 418
Thurs. 6 March	Keynote Address. SC Ballrooms 7p.m. Class One Concerts general membership meetings. SC Cafe C. 4p.m. Chi Alpha Christian Fellowship. 7:30p.m. SC room 412.

CAMPUS CALENDAR



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tainly doesn't make for a successful college career either. Smoking as a teenager or young adult may not cause you cancer and wrinkle skin right away, but short term effects of nicotine include yellow teeth, yellow nails, bad breath, hacking and coughing, shortness of breath, and frequent bouts of sinusitis and bronchitis.

Let's look at some diseases common to young adults and how they can be prevented. Sexually transmitted diseases can be avoided by abstinence, avoiding high-risk behavior, making use of condoms and female use of barrier methods and spermicides. All sexually active women should have a yearly PAP test. When your PAP test is done, screening for Chlamydia can also be done. This is very important because Chlamydia is a sexually transmitted disease that can have no symptoms and yet ultimately result in pelvic inflammatory disease and even infertility. The USPSTF recommends that a

Chlamydia screen be done on all sexually active females less than 20 years old. Unintended pregnancy can be easily prevented by planned contraception. Women planning pregnancy should take a multivitamin containing folic acid, because this has been shown to significantly reduce a particular birth defect. Other disease found in this age group include: tetanus, hepatitis B, measles, and rubella; which are all preventable by immunizations.

Finally a brief note on diet and exercise. Limiting fat and cholesterol does wonders for your heart. The National Cancer Institute recommends five daily servings of fruits and vegetables. Exercise is very important to your heart. Aerobic exercise at least 3-4 times a week is another way to keep your heart healthy. Set your heart going now to keep it going later on! Copies of the USPSTF recommended interventions are available free of charge at the Center of Health Services and Wellness Programs.

Coming next week:

The Greek Weekly

Log On @ MSU

by Rita Bronnenkant

A few people have asked me, "What are those initials you sometimes put at the end of the column?", e.g., TTFN, TTYNW, etc. Those are computer acronyms. Some of the most commonly used are TTFN - TaTaForNow; TTYNW - Talk To You Next Week; BTW - By The Way; IMHO - In My Humble Opinion; CUL8R - See You Later; OTOH - OnTheOtherHand; TPTB - The Powers That Be; HTH - Hope ThisHelps. A longer list is available at <http://www.gi.net/NET/97-02/97-02-21/0047.html>.

Is there a phrase you commonly use in conversation and email? Be creative! Feel free to be a trendsetter and whip up your own acronym! Every one of these was created by somebody, why not be that somebody? You can even use your professor's famous phrases. Many instructors have a phrase that you remember long after you took their class. When the class seemed on the verge of wanting to shoot their pcs in frustration, Dr. Eleanor Flanagan of Info and Decision Sciences would say, "Don't Take Gas!" to let us know that it wasn't all that bad and we would overcome the stumbling blocks in mastering new software. That's DTG.

Dr. Jim Kennedy from Math and Computer Science would cover three blackboards with some difficult new math concept, then turn to a classroom of glazed expressions, "Are you good to go with this?" Make it AYG TGWT.

Don't forget "smileys," those faces we draw with keyboard characters, :-) for happy; :(for sad. I created the hug for an email pal, <Roger>, when I thought he needed one. Need more than one hug? No problem. <<<Roger>>>. Be a devil,]:-), or an angel 0:-). Check out more smileys at <http://www.c.s.u.m.u.s.e/~dva94jnh/smiley.html>.

Are you a "newbie?" If you have been on the web for less than one month, doctoral candidate Lynne Roberts of Australia would be eternally grateful if you fill out one of her surveys, <http://psych.curtin.edu.au/people/roberts/newbiein.htm>. Lynne is a psych major studying how personality affects the type of virtual environments people prefer to use.

How about investing big bucks on Wall Street? Do it without losing your shirt! Larax Software's Wall Street Simulator (Windows edition) let's you "invest" play money and then sit back to see how you do. The software is free at the moment since it is still in beta testing. (That means they are still perfecting it.) Download this to your home pc from <http://www.larax.com/wallst/> and give it a whirl! Might be a cool lesson for teachers to use with middle school and up age groups. This application has the powerful ability to grab stock prices off the web!

Uncle Sam's Consumer Information Center Catalog has tons of booklets you can order for free at <http://www.pueblo.gsa.gov/>. Topics include cars, environment, health, children, housing, small business, food and nutrition, and just about anything else. Your tax dollars pay for this, so feel free to use it!

No wonder it's the World Wide Wait! According to the latest IntelliQuest poll from the end of 1996, <http://www.mmp.co.uk/mmp/informer/netnews/HTM/219n1e.htm>, 47 million adults in the U.S. have online access! Seems to me as though we all try to connect at the same time, too. Survey claims that the vast majority are light users with only 4.25 million online for more than 20 hours per week. How many hours a week do I spend online? Sorry, that's classified information. :-)

THE REAL WORLD

by students of the Cooperative Education Program



By STEVE HITLIN
STAFF WRITER

During the past five months, I have been working for a growing software development company called DSI Datatrak Systems. DSI is responsible for the design, implementation, testing and maintenance of software packages that are used by advertising agencies nationwide. These advertising agencies use our software to efficiently track the financial transactions that take place between an agency and its clients.

In addition to the various software systems already developed by DSI and in use nationwide, the Datatrak Team is aggressively developing new software systems and integrating the latest technology into every new package. I am proud to be a part of this innovative team of software developers, and I have learned how to apply my knowledge and skills to this exciting and challenging environment.

During my co-op semester at DSI, I had been actively programming in both COBOL and the PowerBuilder development environment for Windows. My initial training involved the introduction to the HP3000 minicomputer system and the COBOL programming language. I then took the initiative to learn PowerBuilder both on my own and with the help of my supervisor.

PowerBuilder is an environment that incorporates object-oriented design and programming together with event-driven design and programming. At MSU, I had taken an independent study in the area of object-oriented development; consequently, I have been well prepared to take the next step and expand and apply that knowledge to the development of real software programs.

As a co-op student, I had the opportunity and privilege to be involved in the development of certain important features of one of the company's new Windows applications. Not only have I designed, implemented, and tested portions of this system, I have also learned how nearly every piece of this application communicates with the others to form a complete system. I have also learned how to integrate this Windows application with multiple database systems and a COBOL software system.

Everything that I have just described comprises only a small portion of the tremendous amount of learning that I have been involved in during my co-op experience at DSI. I am confident that I am well on my way to a successful and lucrative career in the field of computer programming and information technology.

Did you know?

by Garry Doxy

How many times have you said or heard someone say after a heated quarrel: "What were we fighting about?" Often they are at a loss to why and how it all started. Being over ten thousand strong on this campus with different personalities, backgrounds, interests, and needs, situations will arise where we violently disagree and cannot see "eye to eye."

Dr. Barbara A. Nagle, Associate Professor at the Department of Legal Studies, along with the Student Government Association wants to offer help in the form of the Campus Peer Mediation Association.

"The Campus Peer Mediation Association has two guiding concepts," Nagle said. "First, help students resolve their concepts and provide a forum for that [the resolution]. Second, mediation for students - it's an association of students for students."

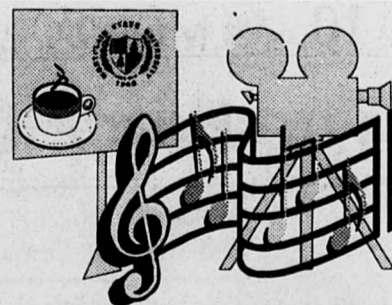
The association is still at its developing stages. Many students are being

trained as mediators. Graduate Assistant, Rich Adams, is a certified mediator for the program. All last semester, he worked to solidify and broaden the base of the Association. According to him, there is still a great need for more mediators on campus, especially minorities.

An international student from Saudi Arabia, Mohammad Ejaz, thinks it is a great idea having peer mediation on campus. "We had problems with our fourth roommate, and it was hard until the administration came in."

Dr. Nagle strongly encourages students to get involved. As Montclair State is making itself a large base of students both internationally and locally, there is, indeed, a dire need for mediators. She explained that those who want to be involved can do that in different ways. Every semester, the legal Department offers mediation and alternate conflict resolution courses in the form of independent studies.

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Class One Concerts brings Weston to MSU for free show

BY BRENDAN WHELAN
STAFF WRITER

Weston, Shades Apart, Kid With Man Head, and American Standard played a free show in the Student Center Ballroom this past Tuesday, sponsored by Class One Concerts.

The evening started with MSU students and surrounding community grooving to the tunes of American Standard as their lead singer, Bill, entertained the dozing sound men with a belly dance. Even with their shortened set (due to a lack of time because of technical difficulties) American Standard prepared the crowd of 300 people for the incredible night of entertainment ahead.

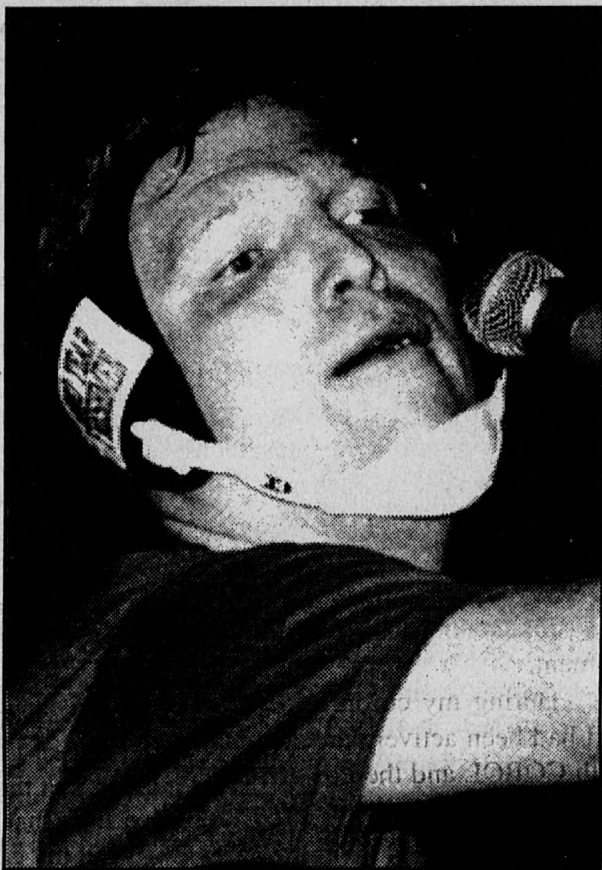
Everyone should run out and pick up a copy of their CD, *Piss and Vinegar*.

Kid With Man Head was next to take the stage.

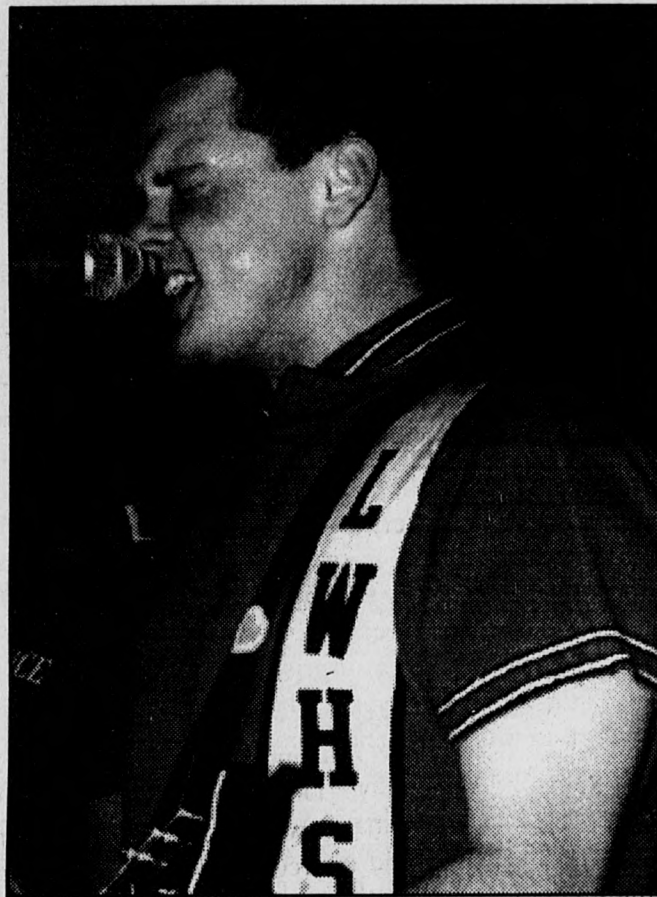
Needless to say, these guys kicked ass! Lead singer, Mike Pimpco and bass player Matt (Gay Elvis) Butcher surprised the audience with their creative attire. Pimpco dressed in a full blown gas station attendant suit, with a little sparkling surprise in his pants, and Butcher with his drag queen clown dress, led the band to a set of beat power-core. Their set featured songs off their current release, *Mr. Potatoe Head Chain Saw Massacre* like "Water," and "Sand In My Hair." They also played a snappy cover of "Hotel California" (off their new 7") with Chris Galen ripping on his guitar and drummer George Morris pounding the skins with his oh-so-fast hands.

Shades Apart had no problem getting the crowd moving. There's one word that I have to describe this band, SOLID. Every song had an incredible flow into the next as this three piece act showed MSU what punk rock is all about. Their set left the crowd begging for more with songs like "Tainted Love." Be sure to check these guys out on their up coming tour with the Descendants. It's about time they get the respect they deserve.

However, the talk of the night ended with the Penn-



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sylvania kids who call themselves, Weston. I swear these guys get better and better every time they play. The band mixed it up and played some songs off of their older album, *A Real Life Story of Teenage Rebellion* as well as some current "Just Like You" and yet to be released tracks. Be on the lookout for a new split 7" from Weston featuring another Pennsylvania band Digger.

Cho exhibit at Al Di La

BY CHARLENE COLLINS HAUG
STAFF WRITER

A new exhibit at Al Di La restaurant premieres the first one-person show of works by Theresa (Jung Ohk) Cho. The art exhibit is a cooperative effort between Montclair State University's Main Gallery and Al Di La. Ms. Cho is a BFA printmaking major.

Ms. Cho's paintings and prints are full of color and movement, punctuated by chine colle imagery and recurring personal symbolism. The artist's sense of color and her use of the printmaking medium is influenced by her background in calligraphy. "I was inspired," she says, "by traditional oriental art. When working with calligraphy on hand-made paper, the colors are subtle, the black settles into beautiful variations." Indeed, printmaking seems well-suited to this approach. In *Peach Grove*, the lines of the peach trees suggest the artist's familiarity with calligraphic brush work. The colors radiate with warm tones, dominated by yellow and orange. Ms. Cho explained that this piece reflects childhood memories of

walking through peach grove with her mother.

One can see the importance and personal relevance of the imagery in this series of prints. Says Ms. Cho, "The symbolism relates to a traditional Korean form of dress, called a hanbok. My mom's generation always wore the hanbok. The dress is used to represent my mom's dance. Her generation was not allowed to dance in public, and we lived with my grandmother, so my parents couldn't dance. But, when my grandmother left the house, sometimes my mother would call over friends and invite them to dance. This memory stands out in my mind." *Red Square* and *Future* incorporate the hanbok symbol and demonstrate the artist's beautiful use of lush, dark colors and strong forms.

Dominick Anfusio, owner of Al Di La restaurant, says, "It is inspiring to have original works of art on the wall. The restaurant takes on a different note, it gives another dimension to the place."

Cho's collection, *Dance of Color* is on display at Al Di La restaurant, 539 Bloomfield Ave., until April 30.

Twenty-fourth Annual Student Academy Awards competition

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The twenty-fourth Annual Student Academy Awards competition is now underway, with applications available and regional coordinators in place to accept entries. The competition is sponsored by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences and the Academy Foundation.

For the program, the country is divided into three regions and students must first compete in the appropriate regional competition. Winning films from each of the three regions will then compete as national finalists. These films will be screened at the Academy's headquarters in Beverly Hills, California, and voted upon by the Academy membership, the same film artists and craftspeople who vote to select *Oscar* Statuette-winning films.

Region Two encompasses the state of New Jersey. Films may be entered in one of four categories: alternative, animation, documentary, or dramatic. To be eligible, films of 16mm or larger must be produced within the curriculum of an

accredited college or university, in a student-teacher relationship, and must have been completed after April 1, 1996. Entries must be received by April 1, 1997.

Students ultimately selected as national winners will be flown to Los Angeles to participate in a week of industry-related activities and social events that will culminate June 8 with the awards presentation ceremony at the Academy's Samuel Goldwyn Theater. Along with their trophies, Gold Medal winners in each of the four categories receive \$2,000, Silver Medal winners take home \$1,500 and Bronze Medal recipients are awarded \$1,000. An Honorary Foreign Student Award will be presented at the June ceremony, as will the Directors Guild of America's Student Film Award.

The Student Academy Awards were established by the Academy in 1972 to support and encourage excellence in filmmaking at the collegiate level. Students interested should call Dan Ladely at (402) 472-5353 or Barbara Scharres (312) 443-3735.

The Force is strong with this one, *The Empire Strikes Back*

BY CHRISTOPHER NAVETTA
HAN SOLO'S STUNT DOUBLE

Twenty years ago, a young unknown filmmaker by the name of George Lucas set out to create the most advanced, most humanistic science fiction epic to ever hit the big screen. He succeeded. Three years later, he did it again, surpassing his previous groundbreaking masterpiece. In 1980, the much-anticipated sequel to *Star Wars* was released, dubbed *The Empire Strikes Back*. It picked up almost three years after the first story had ended, and introduced not only its characters to unparalleled danger and adventure, but fans and moviegoers around the world one of the greatest sci-fi works of all time. On Friday, February 21, theaters all over the country saw the re-release of this masterful space opera.

Like the original re-released less than a month ago, it was full of new computer-generated special effects, new footage, and a few extra surprises. The story, although known practically word-for-word to this writer and many other fanatics across the globe, proved to be as timeless and universal as ever. The omnipresent struggle between good and evil, especially when it involves light sabers and Millennium Falcons always seems to work. *Empire* brings the per-

sonas introduced in *Star Wars* into, as Lucas put it, the worst possible situations in their lives. Before this, however, we are able to experience, through them, a greater understanding of the Force and what it means to be a Jedi, the unexpected love between a princess and scoundrel, and meet an entire host of new aliens and travel to exotic lands from the icy plains of Hoth to the dismal slimy mudholes of Dagobah.

The principles of Mark Hamill, Harrison Ford, and Carrie Fisher reprise their roles from *Star Wars* each with added depth and conviction, and are complimented by the likes of Billy Dee Williams as Han Solo's long-time friend Lando Calrissian, and the little known Jeremy Bullock as the enigmatic and feared bounty hunter, Boba Fett, who has since that time reached the status of a cult icon. Another major player in this episode is that of Yoda, the 900-year old Jedi master puppeteered by longtime colleague of the late Jim Hensen, Frank Oz. Oz brings a realism to the latex and strings character that to this day makes the small Dagobah resident more believable than many actors will



PHOTO COURTESY STAR LEDGER

Yoda teaches young Skywalker the Force in The Empire Strikes Back.

ever achieve.

Empire enjoys a plethora of spruced-up scenes, courtesy of the special effects wizards at Lucas' production company, Industrial Light and Magic. New footage of the Wampa snow creature who attacks Hamill's Luke Skywalker adds to the chilling scenes on Hoth, while CGI backgrounds add a completely new dimension to Cloud City, a mining facility and urban center floating high above the planet of Bespin. Another computer-generated treat is Darth Vader's trip from Cloud City to his Star Destroyer, which actually includes some outtake footage from the final installment in the *Star Wars* Trilogy, *Return of the Jedi*. These shots,

combined with a digitally re-mastered sound mix and musical score bring the film to a new level for old fans and present a cleaner, more up to date look for newcomers.

Empire, in the long run, is a success in almost all respects. While Lucas caught some flack for not fixing all the quirks and mistakes of the first *Star Wars* as he originally set out to do, he seems to make up for it with its sequel. Not to ruin it for anyone, but I think there might be some relation between Luke and Darth Vader, and it always seemed to me that Luke kissing Leia was like a brother kissing his sister. One can only wait for the March 14 release of *Jedi*, and hope for some answers.

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A letter from the editor...

With the end of my glorious (and I might add, extremely long) college career nearing, I am forced to think about the future of my beloved arts & entertainment section of the *Montclarion*. Even though I have acquired quite a few talented writers for the section, I still have yet to find a courageous individual to take over my position of arts editor (the arts assistant position will also be available as Jodi Kastel is graduating!), here in the basement of the Student Center and time is running out!

Not wanting to see the section dissolve (which is what will happen), I am imploring you, the students of MSU, to find it in your hearts to come work at the *Montclarion*. No experience is necessary, I am quite willing to teach the perspective editor all they need to know (I don't bite!). There are many wonderful and fun benefits to being the arts editor and it is (in my opinion) the best editorial position here at the *Montclarion*. So please, don't let the arts disappear! Come down to the *Montclarion* or e-mail me at Perrye@alpha.montclair.edu. Good luck with midterms and enjoy the rest of the semester.

Love,
Erin

Benefit concert for NJ Community Water Watch

BY A.J. SPRINGER
STAFF WRITER

On Wednesday, Feb. 12, a benefit concert was held for the NJ Community Water Watch at the Yackety-Yak Cafe. Co-sponsored in part by the Conservation Club, WMSC, and numerous fraternities and sororities, the club was rocked for over three hours by the bands Loser, Resin Hits, and The Noise.

Loser (Rick Smith, drums; Mike Barton, bass; Carl Haupt, vocals, guitar) started the show with some covers and performed a good deal of their own material. Covers included material such as Smashing Pumpkins' "Rat in a Cage," and Seven Mary Three's "Water's Edge." Standouts of original material included the "Loser Song," and "Mission Terraform Mars."

The Resin Hits (Josette, lead guitar; Michelle Hannah Leigh, guitar, vocals; Kevin O'Brien, drums, vocals; T.R. Gwyen, bass, vocals) then took the stage to perform a set composed mostly of their own material, and kept the audience amused by quoting *Simpsons* material. Interspersed with original songs, they performed a few covers including, Gene Simmons' "(Living In) Sin in the Holiday Inn."

Closing the night, The Noise (Frank Reilly, drums; Joe Bass, bass; Mark Donohue, guitar; Pete Quilla, guitar; Clifford, vocals) performed brand new songs along with some of their older material such as "Ramona," and "Car Crash." To end their set, they rocked out with a Replacements cover, "Johnny's Gonna Die."

A great time was had by all, and



PHOTO COURTESY THE NOISE

The band, The Noise headlined the benefit concert.

the event raised almost \$400 for the NJ Community Water Watch.

WK TU makes comeback, donates to AIDS research

BY VANESA L. SCOZZARRO
STAFF WRITER

For those of you who haven't tuned your radio dial to 103.5 FM lately, and listened to the new sounds of New York City's WK TU, you are missing out on some great music.

The station came back on the air February 10, after over a decade of being replaced by several other stations with different forms of music. Back then, KTU played everything from

disco to club music, and in the past year they've come back strong, playing the same old format, yet spicing it up with some newer styles of music.

To celebrate their success, KTU threw an anniversary party Valentine's Day in the Roxy Night Club in New York City. They invited several recording artists such as Livin' Joy, No Mercy, Collage, and several other new and talented performers. That night, over 3,000 people filled the dance floor of the fa-

mous night club, formerly known as Club 1018, and you can be sure we all had a dynamic evening dancing the night away!

The speakers were blasting songs that I hear everyday on KTU, along with some classics that I grew up listening to. Everyone was having a great time dancing, watching the performers, and meeting new faces. People of different ages, races, and backgrounds came to-

gether to celebrate the success of the radio station.

This radio station has brought back so many memories for me and millions of other listeners. The station donated \$20,000 to the LifeBeat for Heartbeat Foundation for AIDS Research. This was a powerful way of bringing out AIDS awareness and showing that the music industry can make a difference in terminating this deadly virus.

"You're Either On The Bus Or You're Off The Bus."

Thursday, Feb. 27

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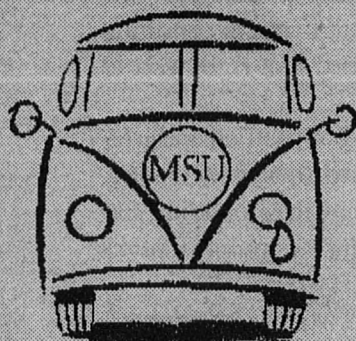
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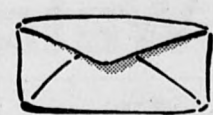
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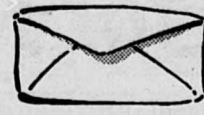
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The Montclarion Mailbag



The free market and multiculturalism suppress empowerment of diverse groups

In response to last week's column, "The true reality of multiculturalism," I want to say that in a culture weaned on the vulgar misnomers "Judeo-Christian" or "Protestant" ethics, blaming the victim for poverty is all too common regardless of race or ethnicity. Remember, the market tells us that if things are not going our way here, we should relocate or re-train. It is us and not the system that has failed, or so says the culture.

Regardless of ethnic origin, we have all been shaped by European socio-political and literary forms. This is not bias, it is history. When we speak of human rights, democracy, or equality, we are echoing the sentiments of the Enlightenment and bearing witness to the changes set in motion by colonial powers.

Of course, we live in a world of diverse reactions to this situation. One would have to be clois-

tered, dead, or truly ignorant not to notice. Therefore we all should be "multiculturally aware" long before we enter the university. If at this point we cannot respect differing opinions, we do not belong at this school.

But "multiculturalism" is used, along with the "free market," to suppress the empowerment of diverse groups. Emphasis on root differences rather than enlightened human rights is divisive, it promotes a "white" culture which claims all humanism for itself. People who are transferred or relocate "as needed" are not concerned with long term local viability; voter apathy increases. Groups which squabble or accept victim blaming are ripe prey for those who rule and who profit from diversity.

Harold Lewis
Economics

Is it a free for all at MSU?

I arrived to campus around 10:30 this morning. I was not very surprised that I could not find a parking space. Instead of trying to follow someone to their car as they walked to it I went up near Blanton Hall. The first person I saw I asked if she was going back to her car. She said "yes" and I offered her a ride to her parking space. She could not locate her car and it turned out she doesn't even go to MSU. She was up on campus to use the computer lab. Wow, I thought, how is it that I pay for these services in my tuition and then a person who isn't even a student of MSU takes up a space in our computer labs? I read an article about this in a previous Montclarion but I didn't know this happens often.

I remember waiting for a computer during finals last semester. How many of the people using the lab at that time were students of MSU? How come no one checks for student I.D. when you walk into the labs? I wouldn't mind, I pay to go here so I have one. How can these people get on campus with our top notch security guards at all the entrances to the school? I mean the guard at the gate I come into on Valley Rd. just waves everybody to go through. These facilities are not free to me or you, so why should they be to anyone else? Something has to be done.

P.S. And she wasn't even parked close.

Jonathan Guarino
Business Administration

"Selfish solutions" will not solve the parking system problems at MSU

It is very rare that I will ever question one's opinions or their right to express them. But I cannot describe how annoyed I felt after reading William J. Gibbs Jr's "solutions" to our parking system in the February 13th issue of the Montclarion.

The only issue that Mr. Gibbs and I are in agreement on is that our parking system is, in fact, ridiculous. But then Mr. Gibbs skews off into a description of his own "perfect world," where residents get all the benefits of first class while commuters are thrown into coach. After all, in his article he says, "They do not live here, why should they be allowed to park by our dorms?"

In asking that question, Mr. Gibbs in fact answers it. We do not live on campus. That is why we should park by your dorms.

Thinking logically, the "solution" should restrict the spots closest to the campus to commuters, and residents in turn, should park farther away from campus. Residents are offered living necessities on campus, so leaving campus becomes a choice most of the time, not a necessity. But commuters need to drive to school.

Thus, a rational person would say give them the closest spots. It does not do commuters any good to have to walk a great distance and be late to class because residents' cars that haven't moved in a week are taking up close parking spots.

I have read and re-read Mr. Gibbs letter over a dozen times, and each time I just laugh harder. He thinks that your 110 mile journey home compares to the 300 miles I put on my car in a week driving to school? He thinks that the few times you've been late to class compare to the dozens of times I've been late because I've had to park in Lot 23? And I won't even touch on his migraine theory because if that was true, every student who has any type of medical condition would need an emergency parking spot right next to their dorm.

Mr. Gibbs' "solutions" are both selfish and irrational. And his reasoning behind them unfounded. Thank God that he was not one of the Founding Fathers of the United States, or our system of checks and balances would never have existed.

Diran Jebejian, Undeclared Major

MAINEDITORIAL



Six strikes and you're out?

The Student Intramural Leisure Council (S.I.L.C.) had its budget frozen last week by SGA Treasurer John Cvelic. The reason this action was taken is because S.I.L.C. had no elected Executive Board and there were "always" no signatures on their purchase requests," according to Cvelic. However, as soon as the "legitimate elections with the Attorney General present," their budget will be unfrozen. This would be a huge mistake.

This is not the first strike against S.I.L.C. It's more like the sixth or seventh, and that incompetence should not be rewarded with election of the members who helped create the present problems. For instance: S.I.L.C. has had problems scheduling for use of the basketball courts in Panzer gym and could be charged for the time it has used. Also, the field used for flag football is not properly marked.

There are reports that teams have actually turned away from joining S.I.L.C. leagues. This is due, in part, from the fact that many of the people in charge of S.I.L.C. also play on teams in S.I.L.C. By both running and participating in the league, these individuals assure that their team is in - and others are excluded. The team selection process should be much fairer than that. S.I.L.C. games are officiated by undergraduate students who are paid.

Many times these students are members of S.I.L.C. or they are friends of S.I.L.C. This creates favoritism and animosity during games and has even led to fights. Objectivity is essential to fair officiating and it is clear that a person who plays with his team at 9 p.m. and referees another at 10 p.m. cannot be impartial, especially if it's a rival team). Additionally, since September 1996, S.I.L.C. has spent over \$6,000 paying student referees, for what usually amounts to less than one hour's work a night. The advertising for S.I.L.C. could not be worse. Has anyone ever seen a flyer for S.I.L.C. leagues more than one week prior to sign-up deadlines? And are they anywhere other than Panzer gym or a corner in Blanton Hall? Certainly more can and should be expected of a Class One organization.

In light of all of these problems, there seem to be only two options for dealing with S.I.L.C. The first is to clean house from top to bottom. All of the current E-Board members must be removed from office and banned from running in the upcoming election. Also, the way S.I.L.C. operates must be changed. Students should not be permitted to run the league, referee league games, and participate in league games. That's a clear conflict of interest and has proven to be a recipe for disaster. Independent referees who are well versed in league rules and can be objective should be officiating the games. And S.I.L.C. should work with the Campus Recreation Department to use their experience and connections to set up everything from gym times to uniform contractors.

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The Nonconformist

by William J. Gibbs, Jr.

In the February 13th issue of the *Montclarion*, the Main Editorial was entitled "Enough is Enough". It discussed the immaturity of some of the students at MSU when it came to defacing school property with graffiti. I totally agree that graffiti is immature. But saying that their behavior is similar to that of a high-school student would be a complement to these delinquents. Behavior such as this is far more comparable to the elementary school level. Writing on objects is just plain childish. How cool is it for an adult to be writing their name on the wall? How hideous would it look to see your mom and dad writing their anniversary date on the side wall of the Student Center? Well, college students doing graffiti art all over our campus is just as stupid. If you want to be an artist, do a painting and hang it in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The buildings and sidewalks of our campus are not a canvas for aspiring artists!

Even worse is the pastel colored sidewalk chalk that many organizations use to post messages about upcoming parties and events. Oh sure, they want to reach a large scale crowd with small scale effort. Sadly, these students do not realize how their "chalking" takes away from the beauty of our campus. We are lucky to have such a pretty campus, nestled in the mountains, with its tree-lined cobblestoned walkways, Spanish architecture, and beautiful green grass. Pastel colored sidewalk chalk takes this beauty and transforms it into that of an elementary school playground. I want to walk to class, not play hopscotch!

Maybe your organization has a party they want to promote, but there are better means of getting the

A note to "chalkers": MSU isn't a canvas!

message out than chalk on our walkways and even on our buildings. Yes, just last week there was chalk on the wall surrounding the entryway of Freeman Hall. While this building may not be among our more visually attractive buildings on the campus, chalk only makes it look worse. We live in dorms at MSU, not prison cells.

Also, I have seen pink and blue pastel chalk residue from prior postings on the outside walls of the Student Center. Thanks to the chalking, the building exterior is now stained. How dignified does that look? That section of wall will probably need another coat of paint because of this careless method of publicity.

Therefore, I offer my solution to this problem:

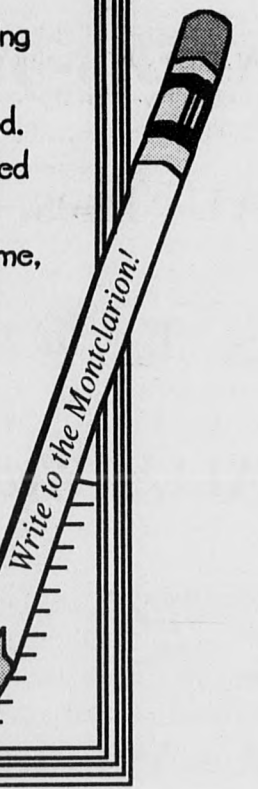
Post a colorful sign or a banner stating your cause. There are several places where you can get temporary "bar style" plastic signs made that stick into the ground. Post in a place where a great majority of students will see it. This will not only keep the beauty of the campus, but it will also increase the turnout for the event. A well placed sign is going to attract much more attention than some gaudy chalk on the walkway. Also, the rain cannot wash out a plastic sign as quickly as it can chalk. Plus, people will not walk on the signs, fading them like the chalk. Flyers are also nice, make them colorful and place them on the new information boards outside. That is what their purpose is. Tape them down well so they do not blow away. If people tried these methods, they'd realize that a little effort goes a long way in both getting people to come out to events and making MSU a better looking place to live.

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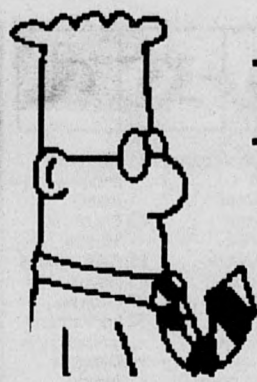
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Wild Jungle Chickens?

BY EDWARD FLANNERY IV
FINISHING SCHOOL GRADUATE

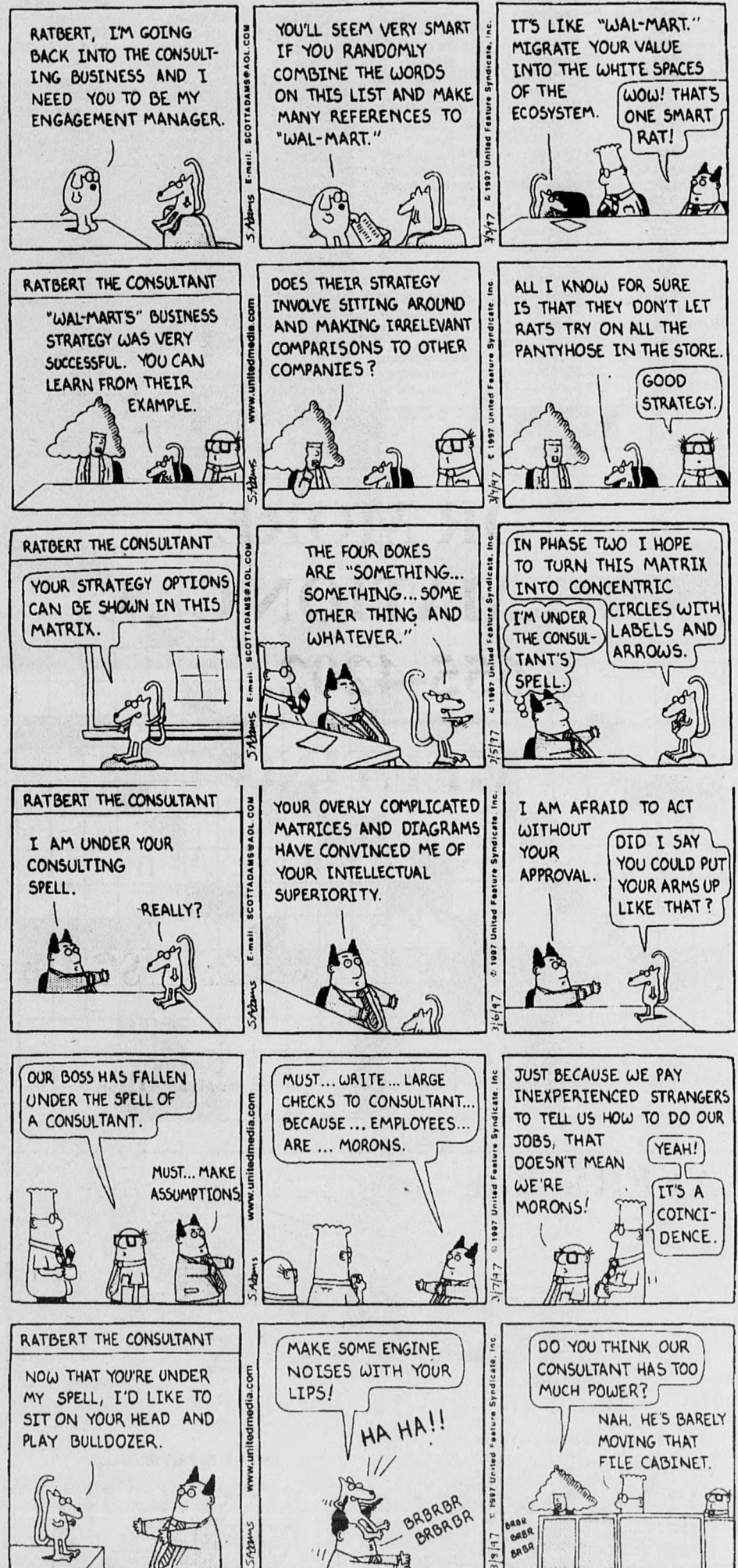
One time when I was little, I put a grape flavored vitamin up my nose. I had to go to the doctor to have it removed. I don't take grape vitamins anymore. That was pretty embarrassing. I'm not even going to tell you where I got a Flinstone vitamin stuck, but I will tell you, if that vitamin were a real cartoon, he would have been pissed. I bet cartoons never get vitamins stuck in strange orifices. Do cartoons eat vitamins? I know that cartoons eat. I guess that means that cartoons go to the bathroom too. Can you picture Scooby Doo marking a fire hydrant or Popeye sitting on the bowl shooting out diarrhea. Personally, I would prefer not to picture such things. I did get caught marking a fire hydrant once. I didn't get in any trouble, and no doctor had to dislodge anything from my body, so I guess everything turned out okay. I think

that it is pretty cool how dogs mark their territory. I wish I was allowed to do that. Unfortunately, my roommate screamed at me the last time I took a leak in the corner of our room. He suggested that I put kitty litter around the room to absorb my pee, but he said it real sarcastically, so I don't think he really meant it. I do not understand kitty litter. Do wild jungle cats use anything similar? I would like to get a small farm in the jungle. The climate seems to be good for growing stuff. Look at how big those trees and stuff are. I bet I could grow some kickass tomatoes, and other vegetables. I think jungle veggies would be huge if I did everything right. I also plan to capture some wild jungle chickens and learn to raise them in captivity. My diet might be a little deficient, but I could probably stock up on a ton of vitamin supplements, but no grape ones.



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by Scott Adams



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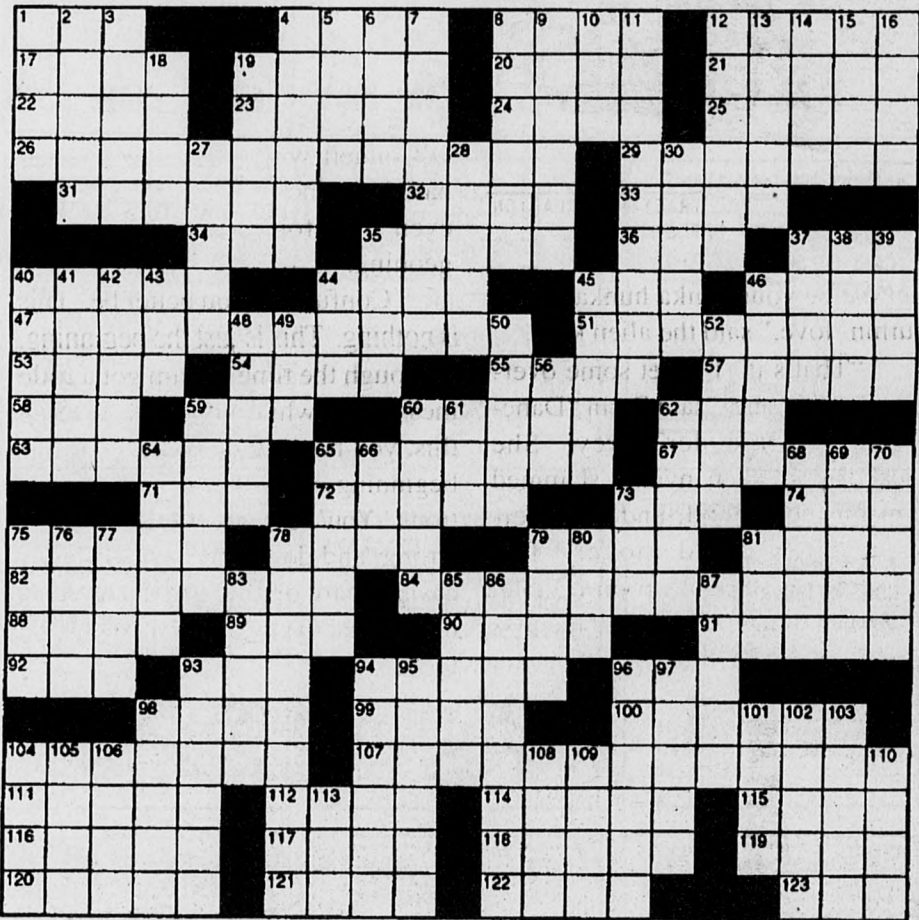
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Who am I?
Who are you?
Why are you looking at my picture?

Pisces (February 19 to March 20)

Who am I? What am I doing in this dark, fluorescently lighted hole of an office?

Taurus (April 20 to May 20)

Is this my star sign? What is a star sign? What is a Taurus? Is it a car? Is it a blender? Is it a Fruit Roll-Up™? WHAT IS IT!?!?!?

Gemini (May 21 to June 20)

What is this poster: "John J. O'Sullivan for Homecoming King"? That was...ME??? I'm that much of a dink? What's this Christmas light crap?

Cancer (June 21 to July 22)

Um...um...I'm supposed to give you a fortune? What exactly is that?

Leo (July 23 to August 22)

Oh, it's something that is supposed to happen in the future. Why should I do that for you?

Virgo (August 23 to September 22)

Something good is going to happen today...DAMN, what the hell is that?

Libra (September 23 to October 22)

Uh, this is

embarrassing.... Uh...heh heh heh... Nevermind.

Scorpio (October 23 to November 21)

Um. You'll walk somewhere, and something will happen to you. I don't know where or what though. Sorry.

Sagittarius (November 22 to December 21)

Um, just give me a minute!

Capricorn (December 22 to January 19)

WAIT! I remember! I was at a bar, and there was a book—YEAH—a book. And some guy was laughing! That bastard hit me in the head with the book! WHERE'S MY DAMN BLACK AND TAN?!?!?! IS THIS SOME SORT OF CRUEL JOKE?!?!?

Aquarius (January 20 to February 18)

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Aries (March 21 to April 19)

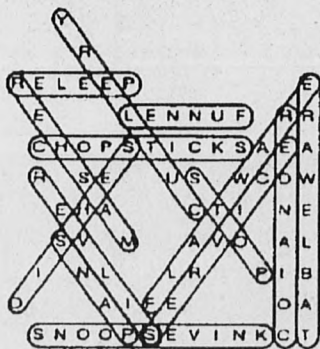
What's with all of these animals? Why are they staring at me? What kind of name is Keyleb for a dog? How do I end up eating your hair all of the time? What kind of inside joke am I putting in here? Huh? Or something...

The ANSWERS!

Answers to Super Crossword



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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions—forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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Cutlery
Dishes

Flatware
Funnel
Knives
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Pans
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Silver
Spoons
Tableware

Dorks on the Scene

by John J. O'Sullivan

Perin Erey, also known as "Dancing Bear Marauder" at work, was having a rather annoying day. Perin works at WORLD WIDE EXTREME WRESTLING FEDERATION as a pain-delivery technician at the WRESTLING POWERDROME located in Zaxxon, NJ. Well, that's what she prefers to call her position—she's actually a professional wrestler, who specializes in the "Beat the piss out of your opponent while listening to 'Truckin'" tradition in fighting.

Today, she was scheduled to fight against Tim "Scrawny Irish Kid" Casey, who, even with his "IRISH POWER" would be no match for Perin's rabid and vicious supermove: the Jerrytown. But, her bosses in the WWEWF told her that she had to throw the fight, in order to bring about a really cool good guy/bad guy plot twist. She was going to go from being the champion of Grateful Dead Enthusiasts, to the evil and terrifying RECORDING INDUSTRY SELLOUT. They told her to burn her Grateful Dead Collection in the ring, and start listening to John Tesh, to follow along in their disgusting plot twist.

Perin would have no such plot twist occur with her character, so she started to beat the piss out of her bosses, her trainer, her make-up person, her best friend and tag-team partner Ron "FIRESTARTER" McFeely, her limousine driver, Bob, her mother's father's cousin's former roommate, and some old guy in the audience. (Fortunately, she didn't notice that a camera-man taped her beating the piss out of everyone, and broadcast it to the entire wrestling-watching world, making her a superheroine to all Grateful Dead fans great and small.)

She then went into the ring, put poor Tim "Scrawny Irish Kid" Casey into the worst headlock ever done onto any human being, crippling him from now to the hereafter. She then beat the piss out of the referee, and

the announcer. She picked up the ring microphone, and screamed "JERRY LIVES FOREVER, MAN," which brought the whole audience into riotous applause. She then dragged Tim's body from the ring,

guy in the audience. But she would probably consider that too much like work, so she just walked away from Edgar.

"Hey super-O groovy chicki-O, I just want to hold you baby-d00d!



Perin Erey destroys Tim "Scrawny Irish Kid" Casey

TOM TRACY/MONTCLARION

flung it into the audience, and left the arena. "I need a beer," was the only thought that could creep into her mind. She did have a rather far drive ahead of her, but she made it to her favorite watering hole, John's Tavern in Trowelsville, NJ. It was there where a dorky space-alien invader from Zugarti X-15 named Edgar Boobsbry would try to pick her up and make her his "lady queen chick."

Let me be your hunka hunka hunka burnin' love," said the alien king.

"That's it. I'll get some overtime for this one," said Perin "Dancing Bear Marauder" Erey. She picked up the alien invader, slammed him on the ground, and then performed her dread move: The Jerrytown. She got up on a table, lunged at him, and knocked the piss out of him. She then took his head,

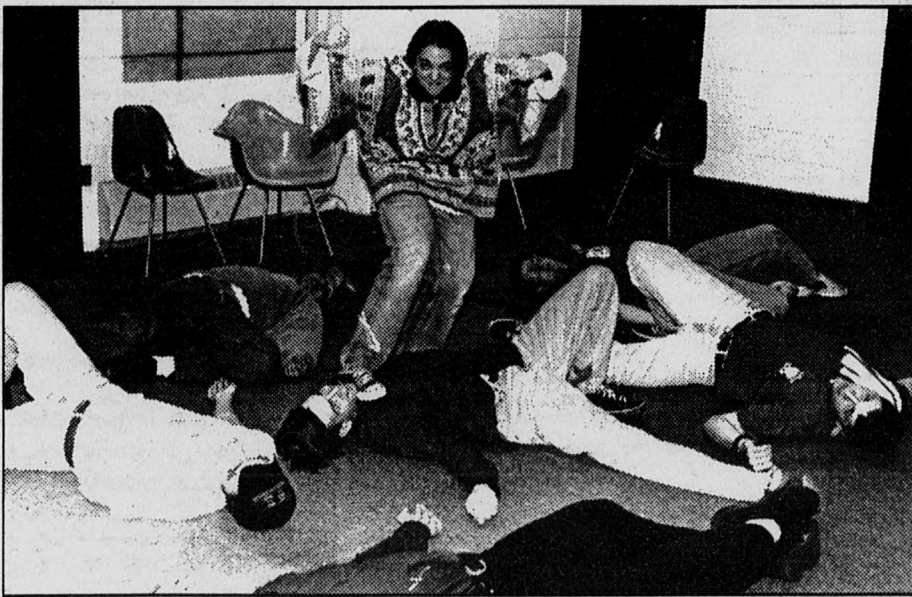
and banged it into the ground 15 times. She then slammed a chair into his head. Needless to say, Edgar was in pain. "Chick-ooo, err, eh, loook at de perdy birdz," he said. Robert, who was incredibly bored, and who was looking for a good time, decided that this was a cause for a

good, old-fashioned, bar brawl. Robert tagged Perin's hand, and started to randomly hit patrons in his bar. He had his tip money for the day, so he figured he'd have some fun. He started to throw tables, Perin randomly beat people—it was amazing! She saw some idiot wearing a Star Trek uniform. He looked at her with a suave "James T. Kirk" look, she

looked at him with a "I'm going to kick you in the crotch" look. She then kicked him in the crotch. He no longer had the "James T. Kirk" look on his face. It was replaced with the "Ow, I'm in serious pain" look. Although Robert and Perin were getting a kick out of the whole bar brawl, somebody in John's Tavern didn't like it one bit, so he called the police. The police restrained Perin and Robert, and dragged them into a police car. Perin took out a time sheet, and logged an hour of overtime on her daily schedule. Robert, although frowning as usual, tried to make himself realize that he had a really great time.

The next day, Robert was released, and forced to read a book called "Don't Bludgeon Your Fellow Man," by Dr. Mark Foupberg, which he used to bludgeon Jack J. O'Connell with, who had a rather bad day, who the Zugarti X-15 got even with for their leader's bludgeoning.

Confused? You better be. This is nothing. This is just the beginning. Although the time stream got a little messed up while you were reading this, you have actually gotten to the beginning of the story. Congratulations. You've made it this far. Stay strong, and don't stress. This is the easiest part of the story. At least that's what the voices in my head tell me...



Perin destroys everyone, including Tim "Scrawny Irish Kid" Casey

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Normally, Perin Erey would have beaten the piss out of somebody for saying such a stupid pick up line. She would pick up the poor fool, bludgeon him with the nearest blunt instrument of torture, and leave his bloodied body on the floor for somebody to mop up. But she was too tired. She already beat most of the WWEWF up, along with some old

HAS THE AUTHOR, JOHN J. O'SULLIVAN, COMPLETELY LOST HIS MIND? DOES HE NEED MORE COFFEE? WILL HE HAVE EVERYONE ELSE FROM THE MONTCLARION IN THE STORY LINE BY THE END OF THE SEMESTER? HOW THE HELL SHOULD I KNOW? I'M ONLY A WASTE-O-SPACE BOX! I'M LUCKY THAT I KNOW THIS MUCH. READ NEXT WEEK TO FIND OUT...LAME ASS!

PERSONALS

Hi everyone. Here they are. Whoopie.
-JJO'S

To my sweet pussycat,
I can't wait to spend a nice, quiet, wonderful
night with you, no Pet Pourri, no classes, just
you and I. No amazingly difficult "goodbyes",
just you, me, Keyleb Chester, Yoda, Hambrewell,
so much for the you and I thing. :-)
Love ya, psych-O freakboy

Nancy (Phi Sig)
Seen any old men lately? How's Andrew Dice
doing?
IPSL Amy

Steph (Phi Sig)
Watch out for those "big men" they might toss
you out!
IPSL Your Big

Renee (Phi Sig)
Hey, nice dress! Where did you get it from?
IPSL Beth

Kim (Phi Sig)
Ain't no particular thing! Too bad we didn't
hear that in the hotel, you were too busy!
IPSL Beth

To the Sally Crew,
If you are going on the "A" Train, follow me!
"Sally, Sally."
IPSL Amy

To my Big Big Paola (SDPhi)
Thanx for it ALL! My guardian angel 4-
ever.
Little Little Chrys.

Chris + Jeff (DKPsi)
Thanks for taking time out to spend my b-day
with me. IT really meant a lot to me.
Love, Chrys (SDPhi)

Jeff, (DKPsi)
WAKE UP! It's only 2:30 am! Later!
Chrys (SDPhi)

Theta Xi,
Thanks for acknowledging my b-day and for
the happy birthday trombone tune. I loved it
and so did the rest of the Student Center.
Love ya, Chrysti (SDPhi)

Terrance,
Thank you for making my birthday a very
happy one. Thanks for the dozen roses. I
loved them!
Love you, Chrystie (SDPhi)

To all of my Sigma Sisters,
Thank you for taking me out on Thursday to
have the best time. I love you! My birthday
was great b/c of all you!
Chrystie (SDPhi)

To my Big Val (SDPhi)
Thanks for always looking out for me and for
my special b-day card gift. I love you lots!
Love, your Little Chrys (SDPhi)

To the Delta Delta Class (SDPhi)
Thanks for the poster. It looks great in my
room. Stay strong!
Miss Chrystie Buglione (SDPhi)

Melissa AKA Capo (SDPhi)
What can I say but "HEY Baby." Thanks for
everything! I love you!
Chrys Babbione (SDPhi)

Karyn (SDPhi)
Thanks for remembering me on my b-day. I
love your cards, your ad, and most of all, you.
Chrys (SDPhi)

GO TO HELL!

No.
-JJO'S

Lady,
Who you feeling dere?
Love, Patwick

Meow,
Peep-L-Peep

Fay,
How ya' feeling?

Well, I know you're not really asking me and all,
but I'm doing okay. I'm on coffee cup #3,
and I'm not feeling too jumpy. The hair needs
to be cut, and I have an annoying zit on my
nose, but besides that, I'm dealing.
-JJO'S

To the 18 Brothers of Theta Xi who attended
Cotillion,
You are all a bunch of FREAKS! Can't wait
for the formal in April—No diggity.
YITB, Allen (TX)

Eric (TX)
Bro-leg in da house! Happy 20th!

YITB, Allen
(TX)

Allen (TX),
WHAT?!!??!

Y I T B ,
JJO'S (TX)

K a r y n
(SDPhi)
Cotillion was
cool, even
though the end was kind of weird. Can you
say alcohol poisoning? I was happy to present
a really awesome girl.
Love, your boy

EVERYBODY SHUT UP AND LISTEN TO
MY BIG BIG BIG!

ARGH QUIT IT! QUIT IT! I CAN'T
TAKE THE BIG BIG BIG THINGS
ANYMORE ARGH!
-JJO'S

Never have I ever lost or broke so many
f***ing things in one night!
A pissed off Greek

Rho Class (SDT)
Good luck!

Kendra (SDT)
IluvU! Bras me? Never!
Luv, Volpe

Jeanette and Michelle (SDT)
Happy Birthday (one week late)
Luv, Volpe

Jill (SDPhi)
Great job with Cotillion again!
Luv ya, Volpe

To 302C—life is a roller coaster, hang on!
Luv, Volpe

Kelly (SDT)
Even though you're a drunk driver, you're still
my sanity!
Luv, Volpe

Antonella (SDT)
Ti Voglia bene principa!
Luv, your Big

Maria (SDT)
Let's go shopping again!
Luv, Volpe

Yleno,
You're the best date I ever had! Love ya!
Volpe

Heather (SDT)
Keep banging into these cars!
Kelly

Rho Class (SDT)
Keep up the good work!
Kelly

Kendra (SDT) and Michelle,
You are doing a great job!
Kelly

Volpe (SDT)
Thank you so much!
Kelly

Antonella (SDT)
NO MORE FLASHING!

Volpe and Cifelli, (SDT)
I'm glad that I entertained you champ
champ!

Kelly

Jackie (SDT)
I love you, even
if you are a
mean drunk!
Mom

Kim A,
3 weeks and
counting until the
Bahamas!
Donna

Lil Jen (Phi
Sig)
SO much for
the High School

Blond Bimbos!

IPSL Renee

Lil Jen (Phi Sig)
Markie got with Sharon, Jen got w/ Joe looking
for spring water, going up the mountain!
IPSL Renee

Beth,
Your dress was AWESOME!
IPSL Renee

Wendy (Phi Sig),
No no! He kissed me!
IPSL Your Little

Michelle (Phi Sig)
Patrick is divine! He reads "She Walks In
Beauty" to me! IluvU!
IPSL Renee

Tau Class of Phi Sig,
Keep up the good work! Stay strong!
IPSL Renee

Phi Sig Sisters,
I wanna F*** my date!
#115

Really.
-JJO'S

Phi Sig,
I am officially the womanly woman!
IPSL Kim

Jackie, (Phi Sig)
I'LL BEAT HER UP IN THE BATHROOM!
IT WAS JUST LIKE A MOVIE.
IPSL Kim

Marie (Phi Sig)

Thank you so much for taking care of me at
Cotillion,
Love, Kim

Renee (Phi Sig),
Cheesesteaks! Falling into a fountain looking for
spring water.
Lil Jenn

Michelle (Phi Sig)
Congrats on being my TALL little!
IPSL Big (Lil) Jenn

Joe (Senate)
You were an awesome Cotillion date. You are
never too old for Sesame Street. Telly Rocks!
Love, Jenn

To all Phi Sigs,
Thanks for making my Birthday so special,
AND for the cards and balloons!
IPSL Linda

Nancy (Phi Sig)
Thanks for the rollers!
IPSL Linda

Gus, Amy, Danielle (Phi Sig),
Thanks for the earrings!
IPSL Linda

Wendy (CLUB)
Congrats! You got lots of catching up to do,
but we know you'll do a great job!
Good luck! Satig

Hey Babba, come and sit right here next to me,
we need to have a "special friendly" chat.

Little Num-Num,
Can we say moo moo here, piggy piggy there, a
moo here and a piggy there?

No we can't. It is physically impossible for
me to say moo moo here, piggy piggy there. wait I'M
CURED! YES! I CAN MUMBLE INANE
CHILDREN'S SONGS!
-JJO'S

Buttmunch,
Do you want you weekly horoscope? Just call
1-800-ASSWIPE.

Bren,
I still have your Valentines card do you want
it? Hey, at least I got you one!
Neaker

Buttmunch,
I have an exam, need a "BREAK" c'mon over
and we'll jump, jump, and jump!
Asswipe

Little Num Num,
The finest from Parsippany. Don't even think
about looking this way!
Neaker

To my big big big big big— you are so big

This is a quote from my girlfriend "you have
such a strong firm hairy chest. Your arms
are so muscular, and you have a ticklish ass!"

Justin has a fruity ass!

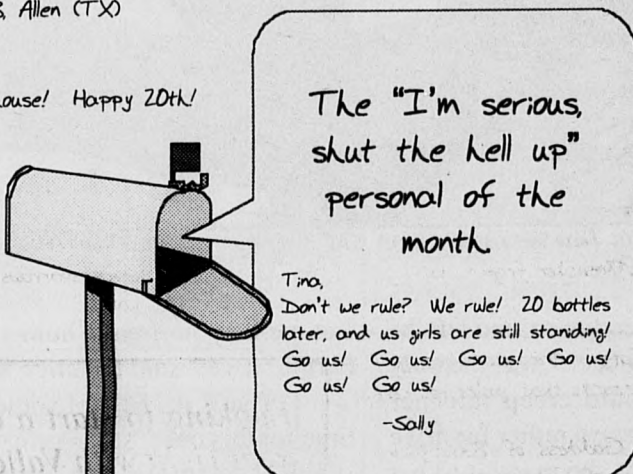
Ben Dorer
you are such an assmunch

Dear Dr. Ruth
Is it okay if my breasts are uneven?

Hey Scott, can I have 2 coffees to go—
Don't put in a cup, just throw it on the table.

Xi Class
You guys are doing a great job! Keep up the
good work!
GM 71 Brother Abraham

Xi Class,
Stay strong don't die. If you can make it





MORE

PERSONALS

through "Let's beat the living piss out of the pledges" night, you can do anything...wait...heh heh heh I guess I wasn't supposed to mention that event. Sorry Ed. Duh, don't I feel stupid!
Fraternally (kiss kiss)
JJQ'S Gamma Mu '45

Rush Kappa Pi Eta. We love Dais and Satan

Go to Crawbar Thursday nights!!!

Maddy (DCH)
Thanks for a great time at Cotillion. Which "no smoking sign" did you miss—the one on the bus or the one at the table?
Love, Colleen (ThetaKX)

Magoo (TKE)
How about those HSD movies? Seen a sunrise lately? I had a great time at Cotillion. Let's hang out again soon.
Tracy (AD)

Demaris (AD)
How about those Kamikazi's?
Tracy (AD)

Anthony (TPHJB)
So glad you went to Cotillion. It was good to see you.
Tracy (AD)

Magoo (TKE)
Can't wait for the trip to Alfred. I hope you make up with your brother before we go.
Tracy (AD)

Ted (TKE)
Every time I look at you I smile. I hope you know how much I want to be with you.
Love, a special someone!

Perez (TKE)
You'll always be my #1!
Love, TKE Sweetheart

Magoo (TKE)
Sorry I dissed you, please forgive me. You'll always be one of my favorites.
Love, Sweetheart

Nikki (PH: Sg)
Our HS dream has come true. It was a great season!
Vig (MSU Cheering)

Nicole
I am still standing at the SC waiting for you to leave! WHERE ARE YOU?
Magoo (TKE)

Tracy (AD)
"The Bold and the Beautiful" I missed all the action and all my sleep.
Magoo (TKE)

Magoo (TKE)
When am I going to get my stuff back, you maggot?
Mark (TKE)

Perez (TKE)
Go to class. You better pay me if you want IS3.
Mark (TKE)

Tim (TKE)
Happy 21st! You don't understand. I am 21 today.
Mark (TKE)

Ted (TKE)
Stay in the lab if you want your job.
Mark (TKE)

To the Sisters of Alpha Omega,
"Like birds of a feather, 4-ever and ever, we'll be

together."
Love, Pippy, Zeta Lambda 106

To a certain Alpha Omega - Zeta Mooooo,
I gotta go pee pee, yeah, you know me!
Loves the Pippinester

Hey Magoo,
You, me, Tracy, a can opener? Wait, that doesn't sound too good.
Alpha Omega Love Goddess

To Jill (SDPH)
Thanks for making Cotillion AWESOME (As always).
Love, the Sisters of Alpha Omega

Jen
Lisa's number one!
Kerrie

Jenn
Shh, Lisa's on the phone with the captain.
Kerrie

It's all homemade!

Kerrie,
Lisa might be happy tonight, she called!
Jen

Lisa and Kerrie,
It's not a guy thing. He wanted it to be different, we have more than one!
The Goddess

Wiccan and Grasshopper,
I am moderately neat! Show me a tropical fruit, and I'll show you a c@ssesucker from Guatemala

Civics
Hello from Panama City. Are you there yet? Having a wonderful time, sucks that you're not here yet!
Love, The Goddess of Beauty and Love, and the Princess of Evil

My Baby,
I love you more!

Wiccan and Grasshopper,
Have a nice day! A-de-ose_____ (uhoo? -ed).
See ya later, don't get hit by a Mack truck!
Buh-Buy, I lur ya!

Mr. Whopper,
Bite me! I'm serious. Please?!
The Whopping Triplets

Mr. Whopper,
Are you a creature of the night?

My Pledges
You are doing, you haven't done a damn thing! Fun huh?
The Goddess

Irish,
Does my armpit hair turn you on?
Wiccan

Craig,
You look great in my shirt. Does that mean we get to hook up now?
Luv, Lisa

"Don't let self doubt stand in the way of improving your life."

Craig and Irish,
Did you know this young lady is the grandmother of twins?
Wiccan

Craig,
She bought me a beer!
Lisa

I WANT SOME SUGAR!

Don't eat too much. You'll get hives.
-JJQ'S

To the Goddess of Love and Beauty,
Did you decorate your bag yet?
The princess of evil

Irish,
I need to know what the song was!
Wiccan

Craig,
I think the spotter likes you!
Lisa and Kerrie

Jen,
Will he call?
Luv, Lisa and Kerrie

Go pledges of Gamma Epsilon Nu—JEN! We love you!

To my Little Any (DPHE)
I'm so glad you are my little. You are doing such a great job! Remember that I'm always here for you!
Love always your Big Lisa, AH IH

To Mr. Whopper,
Bite me. Please, I like it.

Mr. Whopper,
Are you a vampire?

Kerrie,
Do you think CAP hears sparrows singing?
The light half

Michelle,
It's gonna be a Blackbuster Night!
Love, Rannie

Jen,
How's that 7th Inning stretch?
Kerrie

Kerrie,
Can I worship you and then grab your breasts?
It looks like fun.
Lisa

Irish,
You ate meat on Friday!
Wiccan

Craig,
So when do we smoke and do the sleeper thing?
Wiccan

To the whopping twins,
It's a whopper.
Luv, Ms Whopper

WHAT THE HELL IS THIS WHOPPER CRAP??? IT'S GETTING OLD!
-JJQ'S

Tim,
Can I be your friend?!

That's it. That's all. I'm done. Have a nice day. Look both ways before you cross a street. Only you can prevent forest fires. Stop, drop, and roll. Dick roll!
-JJQ'S

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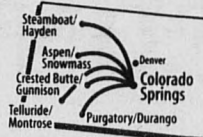
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From the field, MSU shot 35 percent (21/60) to CNJ's 39 percent (22/56). At the free-throw line, the Red Hawks hit 42 percent (5/8) while the Lions sank 75 percent (3/4), but from behind the arc, MSU nailed 42 percent (5/12) to CNJ's 31 percent (4/13). While the percentages may have been in the Lion's favor, the numbers show how close the game actually was. Freshman forward Lindsay Robinson (Shrewsbury) had 11 rebounds, seven points and five steals. Jill Schultz (West Milford), a junior guard, and Kelly had 10 and 12 points, respectively. Villalta contributed eight points and five assists.

"It was a balanced game, and we played strong," said Coach Bradley.

On Monday night, the Red Hawks traveled to Rutgers/Camden for a third time this season, the second in two weeks, to face the Pioneers to decide which team would face the Rowan College Profs in the first round of the NJAC tournament. In what might have been her last game for MSU, senior guard Heidi Klingert (Linwood) came off the bench to score a season-high 26 points. Freshman center Colette

Canfield (West Orange), too, came off the bench and had her best game of the season with a double/double, 11 points and 15 rebounds.

Canfield wasn't the only Red Hawk with a double/double, as Kelly had 10 assists and 14 points. Robinson and Ingram each had 11 rebounds, and Schultz scored 12 points.

MSU and Rutgers/Camden both shot 31 percent from the field, however, the Red Hawks were 26 for 84 while the Pioneers went 20 for 64.

"We out-rebounded them 65 to 49, and alot of that was Colette. She was very determined and played the game the way we needed her to play," said Coach Bradley, "Heidi was hesitant in the begining of the game and I told her to just play her game. Shoot when she had the shot, pass when she had the opening. 'Don't think, just act' I said." Klingert scored eight straight points after that.

With 11 lead changes and 10 ties, the game was closer than the final score reveals, 78-69. Kelly converted four consecutive free-throws in the last :40 seconds to seal the victory.

The 17-7 Red Hawks (11-7 NJAC) travel to Glassboro today to face the 22-2 (17-1 NJAC) Rowan College Profs for the first round of the conference championships.

MSU finishes 3rd in the Metropolitan Wrestling Tournament

Three Red Hawks qualify for NCAAs

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The College of New Jersey wrestling team won eight of ten weight classes and did not have a wrestler finish lower than second place, as the Lions easily won the 1997 Metropolitan Conference Wrestling Tournament, outscoring second place York College, 200.5 to 110.5, at MSU's Panzer Gymnasium on Sunday afternoon.

The host Red Hawks finished in third place, scoring 103 points, and had one winner, Scott Stepe (Wanaque) at 177 pounds. MSU, however, received two wild card selections and will send three wrestlers to the national tournament. TCNJ also received two wild card selections, and with its eight winners, will have 10 wrestlers at the NCAA Tournament.

Additionally, TCNJ saw head coach Dave Icenhower, who is in his 21st year with the Lions, win the 1997 Metropolitan Coach of the Year Award, and 158-pounder Dan O'Conne (Lavalette) win the Most Outstanding Wrestler Award for the second straight season. At 126 pounds, Anton Atterbury (Budd Lake) of the Lions was awarded with the 1997 Metropolitan Senior trophy.

All winners at each weight class get an automatic bid to the upcoming 1997 NCAA Division III National Championships, which will be held March 7-8 at Ohio Northern University in Ada, OH. The coaches then selected eight "wild card" participants. Of the eight "wild card" participants two are from MSU. 134 pound freshman Justin Naddeo (Linden) and heavyweight sophomore Barrett Cervetto (West Creek).

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Senior Spotlight

ON LISA VILLALTA

BY DENNIS L. DEMERCURIO
SPORTS EDITOR

At the end of the season, MSU says goodbye to one of its key basketball players, senior guard Lisa Villalta.

Former all-county, all-conference, and all-state player from Harrison, NJ will graduate with a degree in Health and Physical Education next fall. Villalta wants to teach in a high school and coach basketball. In fact, she's already landed an assistant softball coaching position at her former high school.

"I used to play softball as well as basketball in high school," said Villalta, "but I got recruited for basketball here at MSU."

Villalta has been an essential part of the Red Hawk's women's basketball team, and filling in her shoes will be an arduous task.

Said Villalta, "After I'm gone, Wykemia (Kelly) will definitely step up. She has matured so much since last year. She had such a heavy load as a freshman when she had to fill my position when I injured my knee last year. And she really performed."

Kelly was named New Jersey Athletic Conference Rookie of the Year last season.

"This year, she's worked with me and has improved greatly since we've been playing together," Villalta said.

While tutoring Kelly about ball

control and the responsibility of the point guard, Villalta said that she has learned from her underclassman as well.

"She puts alot of pressure on me during practice, and that makes me step up my game. When I step up my game, she steps up hers, and so on. This makes the whole team pumped up and perform on another level. We know each other so well we can predict each other actions," Villalta said. This ability allows for uninterrupted of game flow when either player substitutes for the other.

When she became "red-shirted" last season, Villalta said she learned alot from the sidelines.

"I got to see things from the outside that as a player, you normally don't see. I could see what mistakes were being made and how they were being made. When I got back on the court, I made the right adjustments."

In January, when the women's basketball team traveled to Antigua, Villalta was excited at the idea of playing outside.

"I love playing outdoors. I hadn't done it nearly two years because of my knee injury," Villalta said.

She will be participating in a summer league this year and, if she's a better player under the sun than she is under a roof, there's no reason not to believe she can take her team all the way.



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remaining in the game the score was knotted at 44, then a minute later the Raiders hit a three point shot and never trailed again.

For the game, Jeron Rayam of the Raiders led all scorers with 23 points. Weipz had a Red Hawk high 16 points followed by Fowler who had 13. Fowler also had a team high 11 rebounds and five assists. Rex had 12 points and nine rebounds while Reilly and Sutherland both had 10 points.

The Red Hawks shot 40 percent from the field and a horrible 12 of 19 from the free throw line. The Red Hawks were 11-12 following the defeat and knew that in order to have a shot at qualifying for the ECAC tournament, they would have to finish at .500.

The Red Hawks came out of their two game funk and tamed the College of New Jersey Lions by winning 85-71. The Red Hawks outscored TCNJ 51-39 during the decisive second half including a 17-10 run that put the game away.

Four Red Hawks scored

in double figures including Reilly who had an absolutely incredible game. He scored 22 points and dished out six assists while shooting seven for 14 from the field including five for 11 from behind the three point arc. Sutherland scored 19 while shooting eight for 16 from the field. Weipz had 12 points including seven straight during one stretch of the second half. Rex had 12 points while coming off the bench and grabbed five rebounds. Fowler scored nine points and grabbed a game high 11 off the glass.

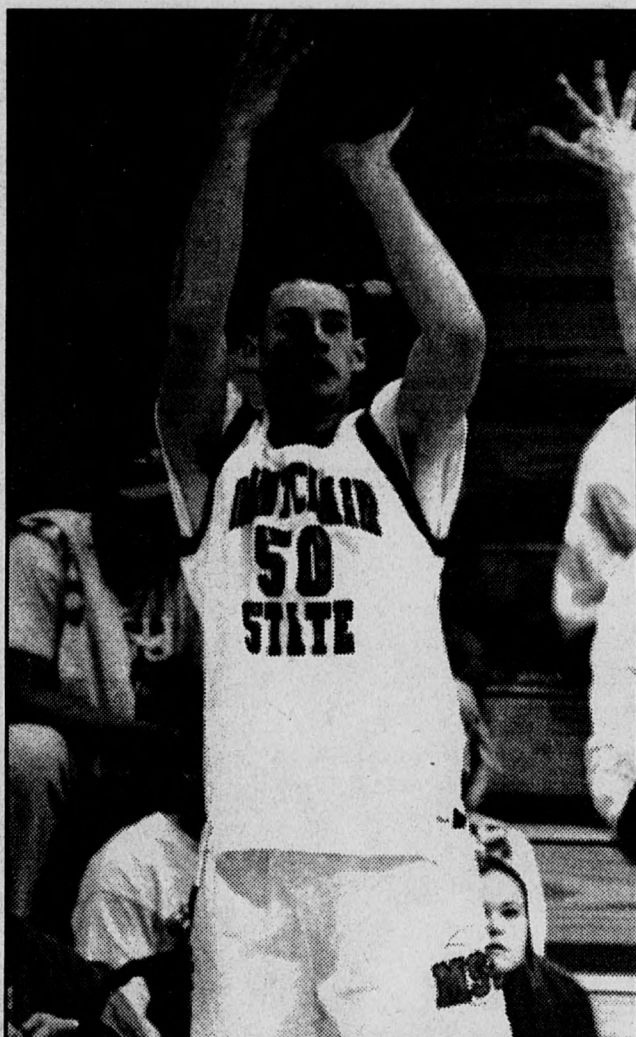
Overall the Red Hawks had a very solid game. They shot 44 percent from the field and greatly improved their free

throw shooting connecting on 15 of 17 attempts. They grabbed 44 rebounds compared to 37 for the Lions.

Their win evened their

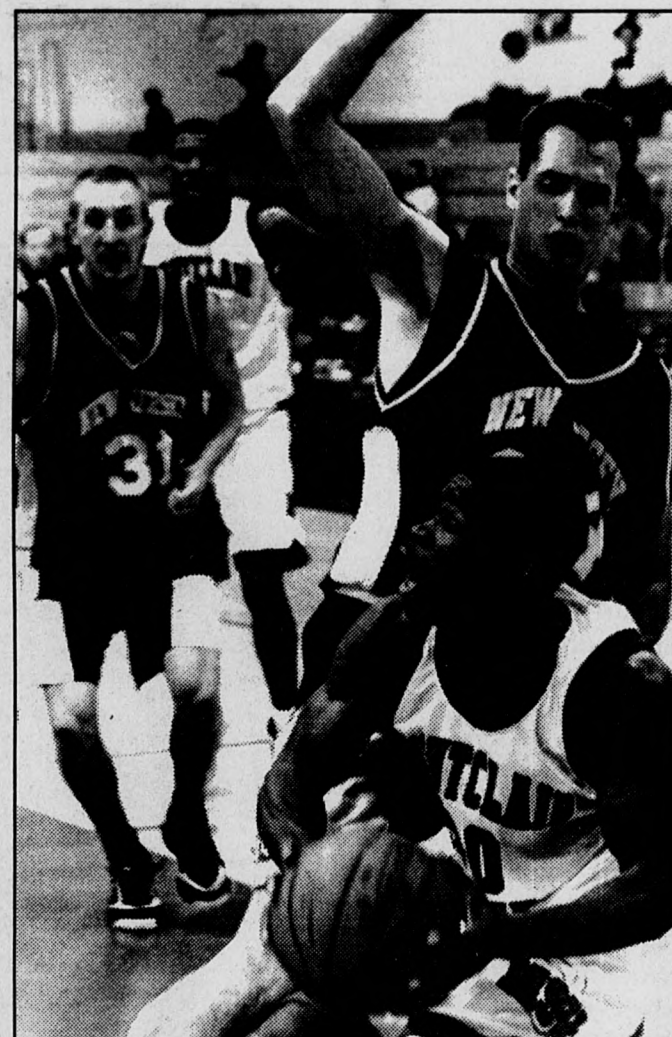
record at 12-12. They will just have to wait until the bids for the ECAC Tournament are handed out next week. Let us hope that next week Head

Coach Nick Del Tufo gets that important phone call from the ECAC telling him that his Red Hawks have indeed made the post-season.



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Sophomore forward John Weipz (Waretown) shoots for three against the College of New Jersey.



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Senior guard Rohan Sutherland (Miami, FL) looks for an opening under the net.

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Klingert, Ingram propel MSU into post-season

Defeat The College of New Jersey, Rutgers/Camden to secure fourth place

BY DENNIS L. DEMERCURIO
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The MSU Women's basketball needed two wins and one loss by Rutgers/Camden or one win and two losses by the Pioneers to easily secure fourth place in the New Jersey Athletic Conference. But the Red Hawks never do things the easy way. Rutgers/Camden split their week, and MSU did the same by falling to Rutgers/Newark, 59-46, but upset The College of New Jersey in a squeaker, 52-51. This caused both teams to be tied 11-7 in the NJAC and a third meeting between these two team to see who will face the Rowan College Profs tonight.

They headed into last Wednesday's game against Rutgers/Newark feeling confident knowing they had already defeated the Pioneers once this season. However, the confidence was nowhere to be found on the court.

"It was a nightmare," said Head Coach Gloria Bradley.

The Red Hawks shot a dismal 24 percent (14/58) from the field, 57 percent (15/26) from the free-throw line, and 23



The MSU women's basketball celebrating their victory Saturday over the College of New Jersey.

percent (3/13) from the three-point arc. The Pioneers, without a chance for the post season, played a tough defensive game and shot 34

percent (20/59) from the field, 60 percent (17/28) from the line, and 67 percent (2/3) from the arc. The numbers added up to a crucial MSU loss.

"They (Rutgers) scored 26 points off of 30 turnovers," Coach Bradley said, "and we only scored on five of 26 offensive turnovers."

The starting line-up for the Red Hawks went five for 41 from the field, showing what kind of an off night the team had.

"The one positive thing we learned from this game was that we couldn't shoot any worse" said Coach Bradley.

About the only highlights for MSU were freshman forward Felicia Ingram's (S. Brunswick) 17 rebounds and sophomore guard Wykemia Kelly's (Paterson) 13 points.

Going into Saturday's game against the College of New Jersey, senior guard Lisa Villalta (Harrison) said, "I need to step up. My job as point guard is to get the ball to those who can score. I think if I can do my job, step it up, that will make the rest of the team step up, and we can win the game."

And that they did, playing a solid game against CNJ, with little fouling (only four free-throws against them) which has been a constant problem for MSU this year. Ingram had just three points all day, the last being one free-throw she hit with 1:48 left in the game. As the Red Hawks defeated the Profs, 52-

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Reilly explodes into MSU record books

BY JEFF EHRLICH
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Last Wednesday, February 19 the 12-12 Red Hawks (6-12 NJAC) played the 10-14 Rutgers-Newark Raiders (6-12 NJAC) at the Golden Dome in Newark. Although MSU had a 37-31 advantage at the half, once again they couldn't hold on to the lead. They ended up losing 84-69 as they were outscored 53-32 in the second half.

Following their defeat the Red Hawks headed home for their final game of the regular season on Saturday at Panzer Gym. They rebounded from the defeat and blew out the 14-10 College of New Jersey (10-

8 NJAC) 85-71 as sophomore point-guard B.J. Reilly (Middlesex) had a sensational night. He scored 22 points and handed out six assists for a new MSU record of 150, breaking the old mark of 147 set by Keith Roberts during the 1993-94 season.

In Wednesday's loss at Rutgers-Newark, the Red Hawks scored 37 points in the first half and grabbed 26 rebounds. Reilly scored nine, senior guards Greg Fowler (Plainfield) and Rohan Sutherland (Miami, FL) scored seven, and sophomore



Sophomore guard B.J. Reilly (Middlesex)

forward John Weipz (Waretown) also scored seven. Raheem Rex (Atlantic City) had five points and six boards during the half. The Red Hawks shot 41 percent from the field and made seven of nine free throws. They appeared to be on their way to their twelfth victory of the season, but the second half proved otherwise. They came into the second half with a six point lead, but came out with a 15 point loss.

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